THE WEATHER
Fair tonight; Thursday fair followed by showers in the afternoon or night, light winds generally easterly.

THE LOWELL SUN

5 O'CLOCK

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ALDERMAN CONNORS

Asked Mayor Brown Some Pertinent Questions Last Night

And Got Little Information—Motion to Adjourn Cut off the Discussion—Business Transacted by the Aldermen Last Night

"When will come the end of the police board hearing?"

"What will be the probable cost of the police board hearing?"

"Who is going to pay the freight? From what fund or appropriation will the expense of the hearing be paid or shall a special loan be made?"

These rather pointed and rather interesting questions were put to Mayor

ALDERMAN CONNORS
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Brown by Alderman Connors at a meeting of the aldermen last night.

The mayor did not make answer to the alderman's questions. His Honor told the alderman that if he would call around to the chief executive's office that he would talk the matter over with him.

The alderman wanted the information on the spot. He said it was information that was being looked for by the taxpayers of Lowell and the alderman allowed that the information should be forthcoming.

The alderman pressed the mayor rather sorely for answers to his questions, and while he was still on his feet calling for answers the mayor recognized a motion to adjourn, thus defeating the best efforts of the alderman to have the mayor make answer.

Mayor Brown, in the absence of Alderman Gray, presided at the meeting, and Alderman Connors evidently thought it would be a good time to find out something about the expense of the mayor's police board hearing.

It was about 8.30 when the mayor called for order. Petitions from the New England Telephone & Telegraph company for pole locations were acted upon favorably. The Lowell Gas Light company was voted the privilege of storing dynamite in School and Lock streets.

The petition of George H. Wilson to store petroleum in a store at Manchester and Gorham streets was referred to the proper committee. Several residents of the vicinity in question objected to the granting of the petition. Numerous other petitions of a minor nature were referred to the proper committees.

The report of the committee on appropriations, recommending the recommitment to the fire department committee an order asking for a loan of $5500 for the purchase of fire apparatus for the Centralville fire station was voted.

The joint order introduced by Alderman Stevens, asking for the annual appropriation of $8000 for the Lowell Textile school was passed unanimously.

Then came the resolution introduced by Alderman Adams and favoring the establishment of the Lowell, Lawrence & Interurban railroad. Favorable and unanimous action was taken on the resolution.

The joint order asking for the loan of the picture of James P. Francis to the Lowell Art association, as introduced by Alderman Adams, was laid on the table until the next regular meeting.

The petition recommending the removal of an electric light pole from Nesmith street and its relocation at Mansur and Nesmith streets, a short distance away, was opposed by Aldermen Wainwright and Dexter. They thought it would be putting the city to useless expense and that the results would not be any more beneficial. The petition was defeated, Aldermen Connors and Adams being the only ones favoring it. Alderman Adams gave notice of reconsideration at the next meeting.

The report of the special committee on the Huntington hall site was accepted.

The recommendation of the sewers committee that a sewer be built in Exeter street was read and accepted.

The regular business having been disposed of, Alderman Connors asked the mayor for the information herein stated relative to the mayor's police board hearing. The alderman was hollering for recognition when the meeting adjourned at 9.45.

George Loucroft vs. Tom Sawyer at the Gladstone Club tomorrow night.

HIGH SCHOOL REGIMENT

The members of the High school regiment are making big preparations for the annual field day which is to be held on the 28th of this month. This morning the regiment held a drill on the South common.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

A pleasing entertainment was given on Tuesday evening, at the Immanuel Baptist church on Blossom street, under the management of the girls of Mrs. Wedge's and Miss Popplewell's classes of the Sunday school. The program included the following numbers: Instrumental trio, mandolin and guitar, "The Brigands' March," Messrs. Fred and Ted Rolfe and Albert Pihl; solo, "With You in the Land of Love," Hubert Senior; reading, "Kelly's Dream," Raymond Wilde; solo, "Three Green Bonnets," Miss Alice Leith; reading, "The Fireman's Wedding," Miss Jessie Hodge; solo, "Won't You Be My Teddy Bear?" Miss Irene Buchanan; solo, Miss Gertrude French; reading, "His Choice," Raymond Wilde; encore, "Too Particular"; solo, Miss Leith; instrumental trio, Messrs. Pihl and Rolfe; solo, "Won't You Come Over to My House?" Miss Buchanan; solo, "Greetings," Mr. Senior. After the program ice cream was served and a social hour enjoyed.

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CONGREGATIONAL CONFERENCE

PAWTUCKET, R. I., May 19.—The last day of the session of the annual conference of the Congregational churches of Rhode Island opened at the Park Place Congregational church in this city today. After the devotional exercises by Rev. Hugh Hughes, the business session was opened by Rev. Eric I. Linds of Pawtucket. The advisory committee recommended a plan for the concentration of resources on different churches each year in order to increase the efficiency of the work. It was also voted to divide the $25,000 for benevolent purposes to be raised by the churches among seven societies pro rata. The woman's missionary societies held their annual sessions at the close of the morning service.

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The Queen of Holland's Baby

now about a month old: doubtless suffering from occasional colic and her stomach troubles, perhaps from constipation, "worms," feverishness, etc., all of which the favorite baby's medicine, Anti-sen, would cure, as it has done and is doing for hundreds of happy American babies. It tastes so good that babies love it. And it is perfectly safe and beneficial at all times. Does not contain any alcohol, paregoric or other narcotic. Made right here in Lowell and sold by all our druggists. 25c.

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MIDDLESEX COOPERATIVE BANK
Shares on sale for next two weeks at office of the bank, 55 Central block. They are limited to 25 shares to each person

NOTICE
Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Labelle, the Merrimack st. eye specialists are making extensive alterations in their optical establishment and it will be necessary to close until Saturday morning.

Boy Minstrels
Y. M. C. A.
Thursday Evening
May 20th at 7.45 o'clock
ADMISSION 25 CENTS

MR. ROOSEVELT

Adds Another Rhinoceros to His Collection

NAIROBI, British East Africa, May 19.—Theodore Roosevelt has begun his hunting expedition from the Ju Ja ranch of George McMillan, whose guest he is. He went out last Sunday and bagged a female rhinoceros. The first shot wounded her in the shoulder and she fled to the bushes. Mr. Roosevelt followed on horseback and six more shots were required to bring her down. The head and skull weighed 530 pounds.

FUNERALS

BENT—The funeral of Miss Sarah L. Bent took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 40 Waugh street, Rev. A. E. Ditts officiating. There was singing by Misses Lula and Amanda Barnard and the bearers were Merrill Prairie, Frank Kellar, William Leighton and Leslie Acker. Burial was in the Edson cemetery under direction of C. M. Young.

DARLING—The funeral of Della D. Darling took place from her late residence, 31 Nichols street, yesterday afternoon, Rev. J. P. West, pastor of the Highland Methodist church, officiated, assisted by Rev. C. E. Fisher. Mrs. Eugene G. Russell and Miss Ethel Wotton sang appropriate selections. The bearers were George Skinner, Charles Boyce, Chester Phelps and Archibald Higgins. Burial was in the family lot in the Westlawn cemetery under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BROOKS—The funeral of Miss Sarah Brooks took place Tuesday afternoon from the residence, 195 Westford street, and was largely attended. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. Services were conducted by Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, pastor of the Eliot church. There was appropriate singing by Miss Ruth Barney and Miss Vera McArdell. The bearers were Caleb Smith, Frederick Barney, James Sykes and William Bell. Burial was in the Lowell cemetery under the direction of the J. E. Currier Co.

HOWE—The funeral of Augustus J. Howe, who died in Highsmith hospital, Fayetteville, N. C., on May 15, took place at the Edson cemetery chapel Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and was largely attended. Rev. R. A. Greene, D. D., officiated. There were delegations from Milford lodge of Odd Fellows and Centralville lodge of the same order. Pentucket lodge of Masons held its services at the grave. The bearers were Henry Tinker, Chas. Cook, Frederick Coggeshall and Herbert L. Chapman. Burial was under the direction of the J. B. Currier Co.

WIGGIN—The funeral services of the Rev. G. O. Wiggin took place at the Free Baptist church, Loudon Centre, N. H., Monday. The Rev. Mr. Briggs of Lyman, Me., a classmate of Mr. Wiggin at Lewiston, Me., officiated, assisted by the Rev. J. M. Remick of Pittsfield, and the Rev. E. B. Stiles of Alton, the Rev. D. M. Phillips of Canterbury and the Rev. Mr. Hilman of Concord, who also served as bearers.

Mr. Wiggin had been a faithful pastor of the Free Baptist church in Loudon Center for five years, and leaves many warm friends. There were many beautiful floral tributes from relatives and friends.

The body was brought to Lowell for burial. Services were held at the chapel here for relatives and friends.

TIGHE—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Tighe took place this morning from her late home, 4 rear of 168 Adams street. A high mass of requiem was sung at St. Patrick's church, Rev. Fr. McHugh officiating. The choir, under the direction of Michael Johnson, rendered the Gregorian chant and as the body was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was intoned. The bearers were Fred Rourke, James Gorman, Joseph Lee, William Tighe, Michael Lynch and Simon Tighe. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery, Fr. McHugh reading the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge.

Among the many floral tributes were a large pillow inscribed "Mother" from the family; wreath, the Misses Dowd, and sprays, Mrs. J. Welsh and family and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Driscoll.

WHELTON—The funeral of John Whelton took place in the Catholic cemetery yesterday afternoon. Services were held from the home of his parents, 19 Lombard street, and were largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from out of town, among them being the Misses Collins of Framingham and Hayes of Bedford and Mrs. Collins of Billerica. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, including a large pillow inscribed "Our John," from the family; wreath on base, D. J. Donovan and family; star and crescent on base, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Whelton; wreath on base, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Whelton; anchor on base, John and the Misses Nellie and Margaret Sullivan; cross on base, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Collins and family; mammoth wreath, Mr. and Mrs. John Collins and family of Framingham; spray of roses, Miss Minnie Whelton; spray of lilies, Miss Kate Murphy; wreath, Miss Nellie Savage; basket of pinks, Mrs. J. Simpson and the Misses McCafferty; basket of roses, Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre; palms and roses, Mr. and Mrs. Muldoon; sprays, the Misses Stapleton and Lanfton, Mr. and Mrs. Dozois and family, Helen and Maurice Usher, Esther Bagley, Charles Kelleher, Robert F. Conroy, Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett, Miss Katie McPhillip, the Coffey children, the Cadden family, the Misses Barry, McInerney and Moloney; a bunch of violets from the Reardon and Cheney children, and a large spray from Baby Corcoran. The bearers were David Boyle, Peter Boyle, William Cogger, Hugh McCarthy, Joseph Quinn and Martin Ginivin, all classmates of deceased. Pevious to the funeral about 75 boys, all members of the Holy Angel sodality of St. Patrick's church, assembled at the home and sang the office of the dead. Master Whelton being at one time a beloved member of the sodality. The burial was under the direction of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

WELCH—The funeral of Bartholomew Welch took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 33 Chapel street. High mass of requiem was sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock, Rev. Fr. O'Brien officiating. The choir under the direction of Prof. Haggerty sang the Gregorian chant. At the offertory "Domine Jesu Christi" was sung by Prof. Haggerty and after the elevation, James E. Donnelly sang "Jesu Salvator Mundi." As the casket was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was sung by John J. Dalton. Mrs. Josephine McKenredy presided at the organ. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were the following: Large pillow, inscribed "Grandpa," from the Welch family; wreath, Miss Mary Welch, daughter of the deceased; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Welch; large cross inscribed "At Rest," Miss McDermott and Dalton family; wreath, James F. Norton; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. William Barris; Mr. H. Gregoire. The bearers were Messrs. James F. Norton, Edward Cunningham, Edward Dalton, Philip Ginty and Patrick Costello. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery. Rev. Fr. Mullen read the committal prayers. Funeral in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

SUES FOR $100,000

WOMAN ACCUSES MAN OF CONVERSION OF DIAMONDS

BOSTON, May 19.—Miss Maud Ronca, a violinist of Woburn, has brought suit against Nathan Mendlow, a Lynn jeweller, for $10,000, charging the conversion of several diamonds.

The suit was filed in Salem this week and the nature of the action was not specified. The report was circulated that Miss Ronca had sued Mr. Mendlow for breach of promise. Atty. Charles D. Moore of Lynn, who with Atty. Mark Sullivan of Newburyport represents the complainant, stated yesterday that this report is incorrect.

According to the claim of Miss Ronca, Mendlow kept company with her and presented her with diamonds valued at between $5000 and $10,000. Later, she charges, he got them from her on a pretext, and refused to give them back. She sues to recover the diamonds.

Mr. Mendlow, who is represented by Atty. James W. Sullivan, will contest the suit. He denies ever having made Miss Ronca a present of diamonds. He says he loaned her two diamonds valued at a few hundred dollars on two occasions.

Miss Ronca is residing at 2 St. Botolph street, Boston.

JIM JEFFRIES

SAYS THAT JACK JOHNSON WILL WIN

CHICAGO, May 19.—James J. Jeffries entertains the opinion that Jack Johnson will win from Jack O'Brien in their six-round go at Philadelphia tonight. Jeffries thinks O'Brien has gone back considerably and cites the Philadelphian's battle with Ketchel as an example.

"O'Brien is a mighty clever fighter," said Jeffries, "and if it were not for his showing against Ketchel I would be inclined to believe he had an even chance in tonight's battle, but that fight showed plainly that he has gone back. I believe Johnson will bore in continually and force the fighting. If the negro stands off and spars with O'Brien then O'Brien has a chance, but I firmly believe he will force the milling throughout."

BIG MARATHON RUN

CHICAGO, May 19.—World's champions will race in a Marathon run to be held at the South Side baseball park May 29, all of the stars who ran in New York City April 20 being expected to compete. Charles Harvey, who is handling the New York end of the arrangements stated that he had secured the promises of John Svanberg, Johnny Hayes, the Olympian champion, and Dorando Pietri. Harvey will go after St. Yves and Tom Longboat and expects to sign them up.

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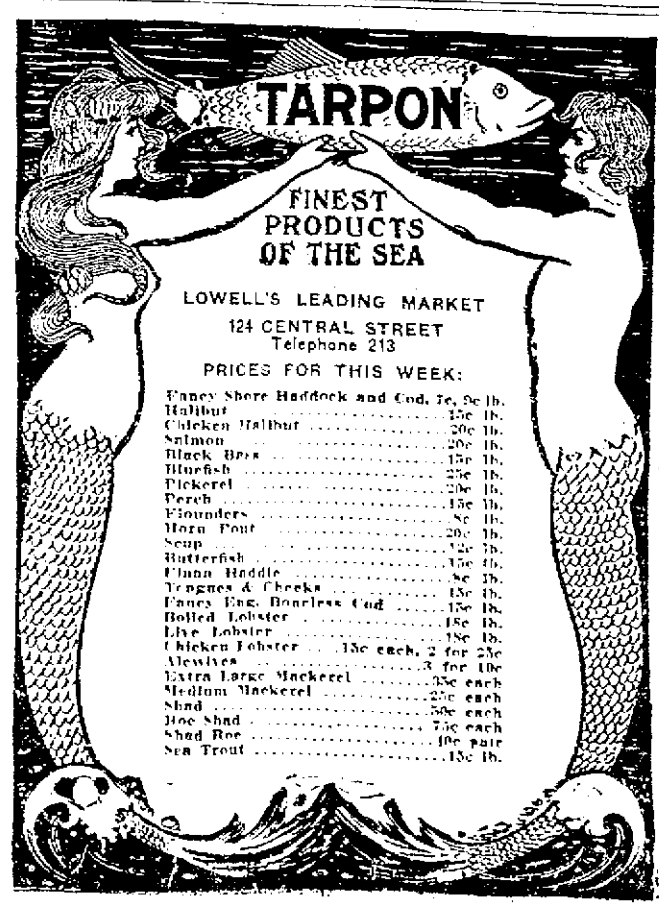

NEW BUILDINGS

Several Permits Taken Out Today

There may be some men within her walls who are short on faith in Lowell, but Esreal Greenberg isn't one of them. Mr. Greenberg still continues to add to his real estate here and he allows that Lowell is all right.

He was granted a permit at the office of the inspector of lands and buildings today for the erection of a five tenement house in Chelmsford street, near Ware street. The estimated cost is $8000.

Ann Greenwood has been granted permits to move two buildings to a street running between 168 and 174 Hale street, called Greendale avenue. One of the houses will be moved from 94 Cambridge street, and the other from 116-118 Cambridge street. The cost of moving and additions contemplated is estimated at about $1500.

Edward Farrell was granted a permit this forenoon for the erection of an up-to-date cottage house in Third avenue.

ANNA HELD

SAYS THAT SHE HAS MADE $1,000,000

NEW YORK, May 19.—"I have made my pile, $1,000,000 in gold plunks, and I'm going to quit the stage," said Anna Held, the actress, who sailed for Europe yesterday.

"I have made the money in America and I shall invest here. My tour next season will be my last appearance on the stage.

"But in New York? New York is wise. New York is tired at night. New York wants to laugh and be interested—excited. I think it is a good thing that I have given New York what it wants.

"I am going to buy 200 acres near Fort George. There I shall have a place where nice people can come and enjoy themselves. There will be a restaurant, some shows—all very high class—and gardens. I shall build a home near there for myself and settle down."

TOMMY QUILL

GIVEN THE DECISION OVER JIMMY CLABBY

BOSTON, May 19.—Tommy Quill of Brockton won the decision over Jimmy Clabby of Milwaukee in their 12 round bout at the Armory A. A. last night, but Clabby displayed more class than Quill. It was a surprise for the majority of the fans, who figured Clabby a sure winner on account of the way he had been touted.

There is no doubt that he is a good boxer, but a slippery canvas on the floor of the ring placed him at a big disadvantage. There is no question about Quill earning the decision, but with a good canvas the result might have been different.

Billy Rolfe shattered Young Jack Johnson's dream of advancing into the main bout class. They met in the semi-final and Rolfe got the award at the end of eight rounds. Seldom did Johnson lead, but waited to counter Rolfe when he came in. Rolfe put him to the floor twice and Johnson landed some stiff rights on Rolfe's jaw and head.

In the opening bout Frank Peron of Pawtucket stowed Frank Commisky of Cambridge away nicely in two rounds.

MAKE INQUIRIES
The finest bridge work is done by Dr. Allen, Old City Hall, at the lowest price and painlessly.

FUNERAL NOTICES

MITCHELL—The funeral of the late Chas. F. Mitchell will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from 14 Fisher street. Undertakers Higgins Bros. will be in charge of

WHEELER—Died May 18, Hersey D. G. Wheeler, aged 79 years, and 5 months at his residence, 60 Royal street. Funeral services Thursday afternoon at 2.30 from his late home. Friends invited. Burial private. George W. Healey, undertaker.

KING—The funeral of the late Joseph S. King will take place Friday morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 76 Washington street. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. The funeral will be under the direction of Funeral Director John J. O'Connell.

HENRY H. ROGERS

Well Known Capitalist Died at His Home Today

NEW YORK, May 19.—H. H. Rogers, the Standard Oil capitalist, died at his residence, about seven o'clock this morning. He arose about 6 o'clock and about half past six he began to feel ill complaining of numbness and nausea. Before anything could be done he sank and died. He went on Friday last to his country place at Fair Haven, Mass., and returned yesterday.

Mr. Rogers was for many years one of the most prominent financiers of the country. He took a leading part in all of the enterprises undertaken by the Standard Oil company group of capitalists; was vice president of the Standard Oil company and was the active spirit in the organization of the American Copper company of which he was president up to the time of his death. He also was interested in a number of railroads serving as a member of directors of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe; the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and the Union Pacific.

The news of the death came as a surprise to Wall street. Mr. Rogers was at the office of the Standard Oil Co. yesterday and appeared to be in good spirits. His health had been failing somewhat for several years past and he had curtailed his financial operations to some extent on that account, but he continued to perform the duties of vice president of the Standard Oil company.

The death of Mr. Rogers follows closely upon the completion of the great railroad project, to the accomplishment of which the energies of his later years, his genius for organization and a very considerable portion of his private fortune were devoted. This was the building of the Virginia railroad, a line which opened up a rich bituminous coal country in West Virginia to a tidewater terminal at Sewalls Point, Va. This road was distinctly an individual undertaking of Mr. Rogers, and he personally bore the greater part of the cost of its construction which has been estimated at $40,000,000.

Mr. Rogers had embarked on his venture some time prior to the financial panic of 1907, which checked similar undertakings by some of the large railroad companies of this country, but the work of building this line went on to its finish, mainly because of the energy and faith which Mr. Rogers applied to the achievement of his purpose.

Early in April only a few weeks ago the road was opened to traffic.

The opening was a success and after receiving the congratulations of the officials and business men of Virginia upon his splendid courage which had carried the work to its finish, Mr. Rogers returned to his home in New York.

His death, coming so soon after the end of this work and before he saw the fruit of his labor in the development of the section served by his road, is regarded by his friends and associates among New York financiers as a regrettable ending of a brilliant career in the business and financial world.

Mr. Rogers arose, as he usually did, about five o'clock this morning. At six o'clock he complained of feeling ill and a physician was hurriedly sent for. His heart action was weak and it was apparent that he was suffering from a stroke of apoplexy. This was the second illness of this nature suffered by Mr. Rogers, the first having occurred in July, 1907. In spite of all that could be done for him this morning, Mr. Rogers sang rapidly and the end came peacefully at 7 o'clock.

Following the stroke of apoplexy in 1907 Mr. Rogers began putting his affairs in order and he has been out of the stock market entirely for months. His interests in all of the corporations with which he had been identified have been placed in other hands during the past year. This step was taken in order to safeguard his properties in the event of sudden death.

ATTEMPT MADE

TO FLOAT SCHOONER JENNIE FRENCH POTTER

VINEYARD HAVEN, May 19.—Efforts to float the five masted schooner Jennie French Potter of New York, which ran ashore on Half Moon shoal in Nantucket sound shoal yesterday morning, were begun today. The tug Orion arrived here early today and after taking on board Captain Joseph R. Potter of the Potter and two divers proceeded to the scene of the wreck, which is about 30 miles from here. The Orion joined the tugs Underwriter and Confidence, which came to the aid of the distressed schooner with the wrecking lighter Salvor from Boston. The vessel did not receive any additional damage during the night, being in practically the same position as when she struck, and it was believed that she could be pulled off at high water.

NEW "WHITE" STORE

F. C. Garrett, the popular proprietor of the White Store of this city, has leased a store at 286 Essex street, Lawrence, Mass., and last evening the grand formal opening took place, and was attended by a large number of the friends of the proprietor and his clerks. The place was crowded with people and purchasers, and, judging from the sales that were made last evening, the word "Success" has already been written. Their specialty has always been ladies' white goods. The high quality of their goods and their low prices have made their stores successful undertakings. This is the third store which Mr. Garrett now owns.

Mr. Garrett is an acknowledged hustler, not alone in his own business, but in the affairs of the city and the Merchants' association.

A large representation of local merchants went to Lawrence to attend the opening and extend congratulations.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Selden Colburn of Dracut and Mrs. Levina Davis of this city were united in marriage last night at the residence of Mrs. Harry Taylor in West Sixth street, this city. Only the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties were present. The ceremony was performed at 7.30 o'clock by Rev. George F. Kenngott. The house was very prettily decorated for the occasion with hemlock boughs, apple blossoms, palms and other potted plants. Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Colburn left on a late train for a short wedding trip. They will reside after their return at the old Colburn homestead in Dracut.

DEATHS

KING—Joseph S. King died yesterday morning at his home, 76 Washington street, at the age of 58 years and 6 months. He was a member of the Eagles, and leaves a wife, Mary, one daughter, Helen, and one son, Thomas.

PEKARSKI—Andrew Pekarski died yesterday morning at the State hospital, Tewksbury, aged 64 years. He leaves two sons and three daughters. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons of this city.

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Tight Fitting Corset Covers, low or high neck.

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Excellent Quality of Corset Covers, high or V neck, hamburg trimmed. French covers, daintily trimmed with lace, hamburg and ribbon.

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Gowns made from good quality cotton, low or V neck with hamburg, lace or tucked yokes.

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Lot 3—75c a Pair Lot 4—98c a Pair

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Lace or hamburg ruffles, blind embroidery, handsome beadings, pretty ribbons, beautiful insertions. New models fitted close over hip. Every length from 37 to 44. Not a skimp or narrow model at any price.

25 Choice Styles at 98c each

And Every Between Price Up to $10 each

If you are a lover of pretty underwear and want to buy it under regular prices, this sale furnishes the opportunity.

THE O'DONNELL DRY GOODS COMPANY

QUILL WON BOUT

Jimmy Clabby Appeared to be Overrated

Huh! Gardner'll lick 'em both in the same ring." Such was the expression of the 100 or more Lowell sports who attended the Jimmie Clabby-Tommy Quill bout at the Armory club in Boston last evening.

But they weren't the only ones stung for the talent caught it hard and the Brockton bunch who had the nerve to take the short end went home with pockets bulging out.

Clabby came here from the west, it is believed, for the purpose of getting on again with Jimmie Gardner, having fought him a 20 round draw at New Orleans. But Jimmie must have been kidding him or laying back for a return match, for Clabby didn't show the class at all. Of course Clabby has an excuse. He says that he couldn't keep on his toes on the mat because it was slippery and it is a fact that he complained about the mat before the bout started, but nevertheless, he is not in a class with Gardner, judging by his work last night and that of Gardner in the two McKinnon bouts. Young Quill showed up well and is a man of great promise. He carried the fight to his much touted adversary about all the way and in the final round left no doubt as to his superiority. Twice he rocked the Milwaukee man in a manner that threatened to put him down and at no time was he in any danger himself. Clabby was perhaps a cleverer boxer than Quill, especially at infighting. But he made the crowd sore on him by holding and stalling throughout. He used a left jab about all the time and seemed to have no right at all. It is said in his behalf that he hurt his right shoulder which interfered with the use of his arm. In the clinches he had an amusing way of getting his right hand under and up to Quill's face, but it did no damage. The fine foot work for which Clabby was noted was not shown and this is accounted for by the excuse that the mat was slippery. It is probable that Quill and Gardner will be matched if Quill will take a chance. Before the bout it was a foregone conclusion that Clabby would win and then meet Gardner. In the semi-final Billy Rolfe got the decision over Young Jack Johnson by a very narrow margin.

Next week the final bout will be one of 12 rounds between Freddie Welch, the English champ and Phil Brock of Cleveland.

DAY NURSERY FESTIVAL

An unusually interesting feature is promised at the Friday night program of the Day Nursery festival to be held in Associate hall this week. Jordan S. Savithes, a prominent member of the Greek colony, has secured the services of several of his countrymen, who will give a national dance in costume. The Greeks of Lowell have been noted for their benevolence in aiding their own people during times of depression, and they desire to do this in order to help a worthy charity like the Day Nursery that is not conducted on either sectarian or nationality lines. They promise a feature that should crowd the hall, for it is only one of several numbers on an excellent program.

But don't wait until Friday before attending the festival. It opens tomorrow night, with 10 attractively decorated tables ready for business, waited upon by the prettiest girls in Lowell, and with a program that will introduce a large number of young people in costume. Here is the program, or enough of it to give you the idea:

Song, "I Wish I Had a Girl;" Scotch hornpipe; "Golden Bells;" Irish melodies and dances; "La Corrella;" sword dance; "In Slumberland;" "In Honey Land;" "Swing Song;" minuet; "Garden of Dreams;" song, "Whisper and I Shall Hear;" moth dance; song, "Meet Me in Rose Time." This program will be under the direction of Miss L. B. Perrin. The price of admission only 25 cents, and the money goes to maintain a worthy charity for another year.

PURITAN CHAPTER, O. E. S.

Mrs. Sarah E. Maxfield of 52 Warwick street was agreeably surprised on Monday night by the members of Puritan chapter, O. E. S. The occasion was the 70th anniversary of her birth and the members of the chapter did everything possible to make it a memorable one.

Mrs. Maxfield was presented a handsome parlor lamp, the presentation speech being made by Mrs. Nettie M. Roberts. She also received many other presents, including many bouquets of flowers. There was singing by Mrs. F. L. Roberts, Mrs. Harriet F. Shirley, Miss Lillie Dunn, and in fact by all who were present. Refreshments were served, and the party broke up at a seasonable hour.

About 20 members of the order attended the convention of the grand chapter of the order which was held last week in Boston. Delegates were present from all parts of the state, and much business was transacted.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The picture show is the show for warm weather. One gets a program of reasonable length in a cool and comfortable theatre for a low price of admission at the Academy, the biggest picture theatre in Lowell. The shows are on from 2 to 5 and 7 to 10.30, with a continuous show on Saturday. Each program consists of four reels of new moving pictures, changed three times weekly, two illustrated songs and a series of views of the world known as Travellettes. The price of admission is but five cents and that includes a good seat. Reserved seats are five cents extra.

STAR THEATRE

Albert Leroy of Montreal, Canada, has been engaged by the management of the Star theatre to render three of his notable songs in French at the theatre tonight. They are as follows: "O Canada," "Bonjour Mimi" and a laughing song.

Hundreds were entertained by the large number of amateurs last night.

New motion pictures were shown in conjunction with the two new vaudeville acts presented by Miss Nina Lester, acrobatic maid, and John A. Philbrick, blackface comedian.

Two new vaudeville acts will be seen Thursday, Friday and Saturday. There is, too, the big regular show of talking pictures, motion pictures, illustrated songs and renditions by the singing orchestra.

THEATRE VOYONS

Any musical feature heretofore given in a motion picture theatre has been surpassed the past week at the Theatre Voyons by the introduction of quartets, duets and solos by the very best local talent and that talent better than any that can be secured out of town. The orchestra has been increased by the addition of a cello and the sweet music of that instrument is very effective in the accompaniments. The musical features are not all that pack the house, performance after performance, but the pictures are so good that they too draw many patrons.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

GIFT TO NURSE

Haverhill Man Leaves Her $50,000

HAVERHILL, May 19.—A sensation is expected to follow the filing today of the will of Benjamin P. Hale, disposing of a fortune of nearly $500,000.

The sum of $50,000 is given outright to Mrs. Maude E. Short, a handsome matron, who served for four years as Mr. Hale's housekeeper and nurse. At about the time that Mrs. Short took charge of the Hale home Mrs. Hale was sent to an insane asylum in Providence, R. I., where she is still confined.

Arthur D. Veazey, the executor, is reported much incensed over the will, which he declares a slight on the widow and children.

The widow gets only the income of $75,000. Two daughters, aged 7 and 17 are to inherit the residue of the estate.

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HOLY HOUR SERVICE

The service of the Holy Hour will be held at St. Michael's church tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock. A special musical program will be rendered.

VAGARIES OF A COLD

In winter cold may settle in the bowels. In the summer it may give you colic or summer complaint. But don't fear appendicitis or inflammation of the bowels. At the first pain or cramp take Perry Davis' Painkiller in warm water and relief will come at once. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. A large 35c. size as well as the 50c. size.

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Our Great Summer and White Opening

ONE OF THE PARISIAN SHOP MODELS

Posed by Miss Follis of The Miss Innocence Co.

This lovely model of White Chip, "The Eugenie" semi-fitted facing of black velvet, around the crown a hedge of lilies of the valley, in their spiked green leaves and a bow of black velvet ribbon and a wreath of French roses.

This Model is $45.00

200 MODEL HATS

No Two Alike

Purchased last week from famous New York wholesale milliners. The variety of shapes, colors and styles of trimming is almost endless. Some are smart tailored, trimmed with wings, etc. Others are larger dress hats of rough braids, fine Milans, two toned Javas, fine French Chips, trimmed with French roses, fruit, fine flowers and silk ribbons, velvet and velvet ribbons.

Choice of all the $5 Hats Thursday at $2.98

Choice of all the $7.50 and $10 Hats at $4.98

A fortunate purchase of 100 models from Gerhardt and the Parisian Shop, 5th Ave., New York. These milliners sailed for Europe last week and closed out several patterns to Mrs. Hartford. We wish to give our customers a bargain festival in Trimmed Hats. These hats far outclass any we have ever shown before, both in quality and price.

Choice Thursday of $20 Hats at.....$10

Choice Thursday of $45 Hats at.....$25

These hats are beautiful beyond description. Smart street hats and stunning dress hats—hats for every occasion. If you see them you'll surely buy—probably more than one.

REMEMBER, EVERYONE INVITED TO OUR OPENING, THURSDAY, MAY 20th.

BOARD OF HEALTH

Suspends Undertaker's License for Ten Days

The board of health has suspended for ten days the undertaker's license of Joseph Albert. The suspension will go into effect May 24. The offence which resulted in the suspension of Mr. Albert's license was the opening of a coffin containing a victim of tuberculosis.

The board gave a hearing to Mr. Albert on Monday afternoon. He was represented by F. W. Qua, and the board, after considering the facts, decided to make the suspension. Notice to this effect was served upon Mr. Albert yesterday.

The funeral in which the undertaker failed to conform to one of the rules of the board of health was in the Greek church, a week ago Sunday, and the board learned that relatives and friends of the deceased had pressed forward to kiss the dead.

At the meeting held Monday afternoon the board granted the following licenses: Stable, E. J. and E. F. McCarthy in Mt. Hope street, master plumber, Edward Scott; swill, W. M. Baird, Phillip A. Donahue, Joseph Nolen, Mrs. Charles Jones, Thomas McGee. It was voted to order the discontinuance of 20 vaults in Wigginville.

The question of sanitary dumps was broached, and the board decided to visit all the dumps in the city before making any recommendations.

Friend Brothers, bakers, were given leave to withdraw on their petition for permission to keep ten additional horses in their stable in Westford street.

WEAK

CHILDREN with no life or fun—listless and pale, might have worms. Give them

KICKAPOO WORM KILLER

A children's remedy which has been used by mothers for many years, and who recommend it. Pleasant tasting candy lozenges. All druggists.

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New Items of Jewelry Fashion

Gold Filled Cuff Links and Buttons—We have secured a line of Gold Filled (20 years) Cuff Links, just the thing for the tailored waists. A few of the stones in rose and old English settings—Jade, Turquoise, Coral, Lapis Lazuli, Garnet, Red, Hyacinth, Turquois Matrix, Amethyst, Aquamarine and Tourmaline These goods have never been sold for less than $1.25 and $1.50.
Special Offer, Only 75c a Pair

Carence Crafters—We are showing some new Art Craft Jewelry from the shop of the Carence Crafters.

Rosary Beads for First Communion—Pearl, Crystal and Moonstone Rosary Beads, small and medium sizes; five and ten year gold filled. Capped Decade Bead.....At $1.00 Each

West Section Left Aisle

We Invite You to Our Unusual Showing of Household Necessities for the Warm Weather

Reliability counts first in articles of this sort and our broad guarantee of satisfaction should make choosing from this stock an easy task.

REFRIGERATORS

We are agents for the Baldwin Refrigerators; made in soft or hard wood, with cold air circulation. Prices, $9.50 to $29.50.

WINDOW SCREENS

Style	High	Extension	Price
Walnut Stained	18 in.	21 to 33 in.	20c
Walnut Stained	24 in.	21 to 33 in.	25c
Hardwood, natural finish	24 in.	23 to 37 in.	33c
Hardwood, natural finish	28 in.	23 to 37 in.	38c
Hardwood, natural finish, spring ends, 24 in.		30 to 36 in.	40c
Hardwood, natural finish, spring ends, 28 in.		30 to 36 in	45c

Flyer for This Week—Special Screens, 15c Each

SCREEN DOORS

Sizes 2 ft. 6 in. x 6 ft. 6 in.—2 ft. 8 in. x 6 ft. 8 in.—2 ft. 10 in. x 6 ft. 10 in.—3 ft. x 7 ft.....Prices, 98c, $1.25, $1.50
Sizes—2 ft. 8 in. x 6 ft. 8 in. 2 ft. 10 in. x 6 ft. 10 in.—3 ft. x 7 ft.
Extra strong doors ..... $2.00 Each

SCREEN DOOR SETS

A pair of spring hinges, with screws, handle, hook and eye. Price ..... 15c Set

WIRE NETTING

25 in., 18c Yard. 30 in., 19c Yard 32 in., 20c Yard.
34 in., 21c Yard 36 in., 23c Yard.

OIL STOVES

	1 Burner	2 Burner	3 Burner
Radiant	59c	$1.15	$1.75
Florence	85c	$1.70	$2.55

BLUE FLAME STOVES

Style	2 Bur. Low	2 Bur. High	3 Bur. Low	3 Bur. High
Reliance	$3.50		$4.98	
Florence	$4.75	$6.25	$6.25	$7.75
Florence Automatic	$7.50	$9.50	$10.50	$12.50

OVENS

Single, bright tin or steel ..... 98c Each
Asbestos, single ..... $2.25 Each
Asbestos, double ..... $2.98 Each
Special, large size ..... $1.75 Each

GAS STOVES OR HOT PLATES

1 Burner with cock 65c
2 Burner $1.00, $1.49, $1.75, $2.50, $2.69, $3.98
3 Burner $2.98, $3.69, $3.98

HAMMOCKS

The Largest and Most Complete Line Ever Shown in Lowell

Over 40 styles now in stock. Prices.....$1.00 to $6.98
Cape Ann Bed or Couch Hammocks, with mattress, Turkey red covering and ropes, complete .....$8.50 Each

PORCH BLINDS OR PIAZZA SCREENS

Sizes	5x8 ft.	6x8 ft.	7x8 ft.	8x8 ft.	10x8 ft.
Inside Meal		69c			
Outside Back	85c	98c	$1.15	$1.39	$1.69
Green		98c		$1.39	

Curtain Stretchers .....$1.39 and $1.69 Each
Window Shades at.....25c, 40c to 75c Each
Japalac—All colors and sizes.
Moth Balls ..... 5c per lb.
Garden and Lawn Rakes .....25c to 62c

Merrimack Street Basement

JOSEPH CHAMBERLAIN, FAMOUS LIBERALIST, WHOSE END IS NEAR

LONDON, May 19.—Despite the efforts of his relatives and close friends to quiet the reports that Joseph Chamberlain's condition is critical, it is generally understood in England that the former great political leader is near his end. His health has steadily declined for the last six months, and he has suffered frequent serious collapses. Arthur Chamberlain, his son, admitted recently that his father's condition was not improved. Mr. Chamberlain was until his retirement the unionist leader in British politics. He was born in 1836 and was in turn councilman and mayor of Birmingham and on the return of the liberals in 1886 was made president of the board of trade, with a seat in the cabinet. Some of his best known legislative measures are the bankruptcy bill and the readjustment of taxation.

GOVERNOR DRAPER

Summoned to Court for Fast Auto Driving

BOSTON, May 19.—Governor Eben S. Draper, and his chauffeur, were caught in a trap in Wellesley by the police of that town yesterday and summoned to appear in court next week to answer a charge of over speeding. When the police officers learned that they were about to arrest the governor of the commonwealth, one of them apologized. "Oh, that's all right," replied the governor. "If I'm a lawbreaker, I'm just as guilty as anyone else, even if I am governor. You are simply doing your duty."

The case will come before the district court at Dedham next week.

POLICE BOARD

Granted a Number of Minor Licenses

The board of police met in regular session last night and transacted considerable routine business. A druggist's liquor license was granted to Ruthier & Delisle and a seventh class, pain and oil license, was granted to W. T. S. Bartlett.

The list of licenses granted follows:

Common victualler: Louis Vezalikos, 124 Suffolk street; Augustine Lescarbeau, 197 Aiken street; Joseph E. Recha, 193 Lawrence street; Etta Fitzsimmons, 242 Appleton street; Mme. T. A. Dubuc, 22 Lee street; Peter Anastopoulos, 479 Market street; Bertha Nye Reynolds, 27-31 Palmer street; Gordon C. Bixby, 63 Fletcher street; James Kilarkos, 282 Suffolk street; Atlas Komatos, 391 Market street; John Norris, 116 Powell street; Eugenie Cormier, 63 Cabot street; Kate Weston, 50 Lee street; Georgiana Harrington, 66 East Merrimack street; Geo. Dugay, 301 Moody street; Pierre F. Germain, 114 Cabot street; Frederick T. Wilson, 259 Branch street; Mrs. Arthur Lavalle, 65 French street; Arthur Arcand, 63 Worthen street; Charles Sharf, 65 School street; Alexander Cruickshank, 67 Central street, Elzear Tremblay, 115 Worthen street, Mary Prindiville, 17 Franklin court, for boarding house.

Express: Stanley Transportation Co. 10 lic., 12 Thorndike street; Conway Transfer Co. 12 lic., Northern depot; William E. Biggs, 3 lic., 10 Prescott street.

Old bottles: Jacob Gerson, 29 Daly street; Abraham Berlotsky, 155 Howard street; Simon Rosenfeld, 52 Railroad street.

Junk dealer: John Mayo, 36 Coolidge street.

Junk collector: Louis Felmar, 104 Chelmsford street.

Second hand clothing: Morris Lapidus, 247 Market street; Sam Slavin, 24 Middlesex street; Dave Bernstein, 186 Middlesex street.

Hawker and peddler: Franklin T. Lefoon, 139 Third street; Joseph Klein, 116 Howard street; Reuben N. Myers, 30 Lincoln street; Louis Harris, 105 Christiana street; Adolph Blumbet, 40 Rear street.

Bowling and pool: Thomas Jones, 591 Middlesex street.

Laid on the table:

Common victualler: Gregory Musabeg, 198 Market street; Nicholas Tsalis, 256 Suffolk street; Pericles Kouramentzis, 508 Market street.

Billiards and pool: George Vallas, 27 Arlington street.

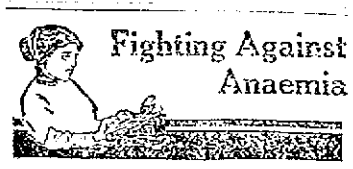
Expiration of his license: [illegible] street.

Leave to withdraw:

Common victualler: Louis Vezalikos, 124 Suffolk street.

Granted: Sixth class [illegible] as druggist, Joseph Ruthier of Ruthier & Delisle, 247 Merrimack street.

Granted: Seventh class [illegible] as druggist, [illegible] Will T. S. Bartlett, Salem [illegible] street.



Fighting Against Anaemia

There is nothing fatal about anaemia in itself; but, if it is not checked more serious complications may result. If you suffer from this dread disorder

Pabst Extract The Best Tonic

will bring you relief. The rich, tissue building elements of barley-malt combine with the tonic properties of choicest hops to form a predigested food that is readily assimilated and rapidly transformed into rich, red blood.

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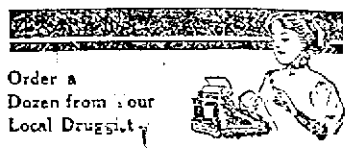

Order a Dozen from Your Local Druggist

THE MATHEWS' MEETING

The regular meeting of the Mathews Temperance League was held last night, with a fair [illegible] in the chair. Prayer was followed by [illegible] from the committee in charge of the [illegible] picture show and bazaar. The [illegible] reported that the performances will be given by the Bachelor club under the auspices of the M. T. L. Messrs. Wolf, Tuttle, Brady and Nesbitt spoke under the head of good and welfare.

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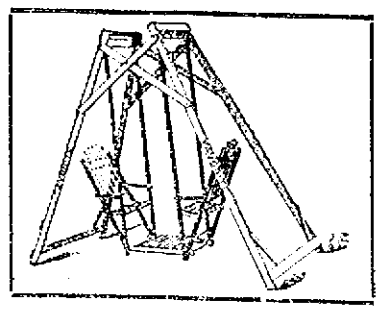

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Special for This Week

Potatoes	26c pk.	Barley	5c lb.
York State Pea Beans	9c qt.	Tapioca	5c lb.
Clear Fat Pork	12c lb.	Large New Prunes	5c lb.
Rice	5c lb.	Evaporated Apples	10c lb.

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BITTER FEELING

IS SHOWN AGAINST MAGISTRATE O'REILLY

NEW YORK, May 19.—An action to determine whether or not Magistrate Frank E. O'Reilly shall remain as executor of the Heaney estate is on trial before Surrogate Ketcham in Brooklyn, having begun yesterday with the introduction of testimony intended to show that the estate was improperly administered and the pawnbroking business in Fifth avenue stultified.

Arthur J. Heaney, eldest son of the old pawnbroker, is the complainant. He contends that the profits of the business were more than $15,000 a year until 1905, when Matthew S. Whalen, the manager, was discharged by Magistrate O'Reilly; that since then there has been a decided falling off and that the executor has ruined business by withdrawing ready cash.

Whalen testified yesterday to the existence of a copartnership scheme whereby he, Magistrate O'Reilly and John L. Shea, a prominent democratic politician and former Bridge Commissioner, were to buy the pawnbroking business for $160,000. This fell through, he says, because he and O'Reilly could not agree upon the salary to be paid him as manager. The papers were torn up and Whalen roundly cursed because he held out for $100 a week or nothing at all. Whalen said that when this occurred Shea had already given his check for $25,000 as a first payment on the $60,000 which each of the three was to make but that O'Reilly said that he (O'Reilly) was the boss, that the business was young and he would kill the scheme before he would pay more than $75 a week for a manager, and finally promised to put Whalen in the gutter. Later (in July, 1905) Whalen was discharged.

Feeling ran very strong, and at one stage of the trial it looked as though there might be some violence.

KING'S SALE

HAS STIRRED UP A SCANDAL IN BRUSSELS

BRUSSELS, May 19.—The matter of the sale of King Leopold's collection of pictures and works of art came up in the chamber of deputies yesterday. In reply to a question by Deputy Vandervelde, the socialist leader, Baron Daschamps, minister of state, said that the government was not able to interfere in the direction of acquiring the collection. Deputy Vandervelde then intimated that he would transform the question into an interpellation in the "scandal of the king's sale of pictures to American meat packers."

It is now stated that King Leopold is also selling the Egyptian antiquities presented by Ismail Pasha in 1854, an illustrated catalogue of which has been widely circulated in the United States. The newspapers express great indignation at the sale, which they declare will realize $2,000,000, and this sum they allege will be settled on a son born out of wedlock.

LOSS $150,000

FIVE FIREMEN WERE OVERCOME BY SMOKE

NEW YORK, May 19.—Seven persons, five of them experienced firemen, were dragged unconscious from the upper floors of a building at Third avenue and 127th street, Harlem, last night, overcome by the dense smoke from burning stocks of clothing and manufacturing materials which filled the lower floors. Several of the rescues were accomplished with great difficulty, but no lives were lost.

The fire caused a loss of $150,000. The cause has not been ascertained.

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PREPARED INSTANTLY. Simply add boiling water, cool and serve. 10c. per package at all grocers. 7 flavors. Refuse all substitutes.

A Vision of Salome

with teeth irregular, yellow and in bad shape wouldn't be exactly a vision of loveliness. Indeed such a prominent feature as the mouth should never be neglected, as it will make or mar a pretty face. Come to us for up-to-the-second dentistry. Expert dentist in attendance. Moderate charges.

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Ladies' $16.50 Suits $12.50

In blue and black striped worsteds, coats 36 inches long, satin lined, button trimmed, skirts a flare model only. The best value in the city at anywhere near the price.

$20 Blue Serge Suits at $15

The finest French serge made, having that soft, smooth finish that shows quality, guaranteed satin linings, 36 inch stamped coat. Skirts 3 to 11 gore model.

$22.50 Suits at $16.50

Include some of our finest models. Only one of a kind and then of quite different style.

$27.50 Suits at $18.00

Suits made up just now by makers to use up odd ends of cloth. The styles are now and show the latest fads. Again but one suit of a kind or size.

Silk Rain Coats. Special Sale

Of Coats that we secured at a great concession and have marked at prices that make quick selling. Loose or half fitted backs, in red and fancy stripes $15

Special Sale of Mohair Skirts

Only the best imported English goods, guaranteed for lustre and wearing qualities, in three models in black, blue and gray. Priced $8.75

THE Caesar Misch Store

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SCOTT CONFESSED

Says He Murdered Man at Wife's Request

INDIANOLA, Miss., May 19.—Jesse Scott, a young farmer, who, according to officers, confessed to the murder of W. L. Embrey at the suggestion of the latter's wife, was brought here yesterday and placed in jail.

Mrs. Embrey has been placed under arrest. Scott in his confession stated that he met Embrey in an open pasture late Sunday afternoon and after some discussion forced him at the point of a revolver to go to a cypress brake and there shot him four times. Scott claims that Mrs. Embrey threatened to kill him if he did not commit the crime.

SUPREME COURT

Says Express Co.'s May Carry Liquor Into "Dry" Towns

BOSTON, May 19.—Express companies doing a general business may carry liquor into a no-license city or town without violating the law if the liquor is brought from another state, according to an opinion handed down by the supreme court yesterday.

A Gardner express company was found guilty by a jury in the superior court of carrying liquor without a permit, from Walpole, N. H. to Gardner, in October, 1907, when Gardner was a no-license town.

The supreme court ordered a new trial.

SUPREME COURT

SAYS CONVICTS CANNOT BE EXTRADITED

BOSTON, May 19.—Privately and for the benefit of Gov. Draper, the Massachusetts supreme court has handed down a decision that convicts serving a sentence cannot be extradited to another state to stand trial for an offense alleged to have been committed therein. The case is that of a colored man now in Charlestown prison serving sentence for burglary, who is wanted in New York on the charge of murder.

The decision affirms the opinion rendered by Attorney General Malone.

PROCLAIMED HEIR

ADDIS ABBEA, May 19.—Prince Lidj Jeassu, the 13-year-old grandson of King Menelik, was today publicly proclaimed heir to the Abyssinian throne in the presence of many chiefs and 20,000 soldiers.

PRICE OF WHISKEY

CINCINNATI, May 19.—Announcement was made in the chamber of commerce yesterday the basis price of whiskey has been advanced two cents from $1.35 to $1.37 a gallon. The advance is due to the high price of grains.

RESIGNATION ACCEPTED

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The resignation of Lieut. Commander James N. Walker, U. S. N. recently forwarded from Guam where he was stationed for a short time, has been accepted by the president to take effect May 31. He is now at Los Angeles, California.

AUTO CARNIVAL

PRES. HEINZE AND SEC'Y McKENNA IN NEW YORK

President John O. Heinze and Secretary John A. McKenna of the Lowell Automobile club are in New York conferring with the racing board of the A. A. A. They left Boston Monday night on the midnight train and it is expected that they will be back in Lowell tomorrow. Among those who will be present at the conference will be Fred Wagner, who acted as starter at the race held in this city last fall. It is expected that Mr. Wagner will also act as starter this year.

While in New York, Messrs. Heinze and McKenna will endeavor to get into touch with the Wright brothers, the aeroplanists, to see if it is possible to get them to come on here during the carnival. It would seem now quite impossible to secure the men inasmuch as they are, according to press despatches, scheduled to sail abroad during July, to conduct experiments for the British and German governments.

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GEORGE MEREDITH

Novelist Who Died at Age of 81

LONDON, May 19.—George Meredith, the English novelist, who died in London, was born in Hampshire, Feb. 12, 1828. He was educated partly in

Germany and was brought up to the law, which he quit for literature. His first poems appeared in 1861, followed in rapid succession by various novels and additional poems and ballads. "Diana of the Crossways" was published in 1885 and "One of Our Conquerors" in 1890. "Lord Ormont and His Aminta" appeared in the summer of 1894 and was followed in 1895 by "The Amazing Marriage."

BILLERICA

At the regular meeting of the board of selectmen, Monday night, a hearing was given on the petition of F. G. Morey, a Billerica Centre merchant, that the location of the town scales be changed to a point near his place of business.

Mr. Morey stated that the present location is very inconvenient for him as public weigher. He mentioned the names of a number of citizens in the town who were in favor of the removal of the scales.

William Gannon and Ernest C. Towle, the latter one of the owners of the property upon which the scales now stand, remonstrated. The board of selectmen took the matter under advisement.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of S. H. Hines lodge, No. 76, took place last night and was largely attended. Considerable routine business was transacted. The rank of knight will be worked on three candidates on Friday night, May 28, and refreshments will be served after the work. Extended remarks were made for the good of the order by P. C. A. E. Joy, P. C. Farley, V. C. Jordan, P. C. Fullerton, C. C. W. H. Harvey and others. The work of degree staff which worked the rank of squire on Tuesday, May 11, on Mayor George H. Brown, James Caddell and James Heald was highly commended by all who witnessed it, there being some 200 members of the order present on that occasion.

Lowell aerie of Eagles, 223, will hold another big class initiation in Foresters hall, their new quarters, on Thursday night of this week. Fifty new members will come into the local aerie and there have been special arrangements made for the entertainment of delegations from the aeries in Ayer Junction and Fitchburg. The recently organized band of local aerie will play at the initiation exercises.

PITCHER CAMNITZ

Now Leads the National League

PITTSBURG, May 19.—Fred Clarke and his perennial pennant pursuers, the Pittsburg Pirates, appear to be the strongest team in the National league at present. The men have been playing a sensational fielding and batting game since the start. Clarke's pitching staff is one of the best in the older organization. A feature of many of the Pirates' games has been the clever pitching of Howard Camnitz, who is now leading the winning twirlers in the National league. Camnitz has won seven straight. Two of his victories have been shutouts, both against strong teams.

OVERTIME GAME

Red Sox Took Another From Detroit

DETROIT, Mich., May 19.—Detroit drove Chech from the box in the sixth, getting three hits and stealing three bases, but Arrellanes held the locals thereafter.

Rossman's wild throw to the pan, following two hits, gave Boston the game in the 10th. Three great fielding plays by Wagner, Speaker and Hooper prevented Detroit from scoring a run that would have ended the game in the regulation number of innings. The score:

BOSTON.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
McConnell, 2b	5	1	1	2	4	0
Lord, 3b	5	1	1	1	1	0
Speaker, cf	5	1	2	5	0	0
Hooper, rf	5	1	1	1	1	0
Stahl, 1b	4	0	2	9	0	1
Niles, lf	2	0	1	5	0	0
Wagner, ss	4	0	1	3	2	0
Carrigan, c	4	0	1	3	2	0
Spencer c	0	0	0	1	0	0
Chech, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Arrellanes, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gessler, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wolter, z	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	5	10	30	11	1

DETROIT

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
McIntyre, lf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Bush, ss	4	0	1	1	5	0
Crawford, cf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Cobb, rf	5	1	2	2	0	0
Rossman, 1b	4	0	0	15	1	1
O'Leary, 3b	4	1	1	2	2	0
Schaefer, 2b	4	0	3	3	6	0
Stanage, c	4	0	1	4	0	0
Willet, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	39	3	11	30	16	1

x—Batted for Chech in the 7th.
z—Ran in place of Carrigan in 10th.

Boston	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2—5
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0—3

Two base hits—McIntyre, Speaker. Three base hits—Crawford, Speaker. Hits—Off Chech 8 in 6 innings; off Arrellanes 3 in 4 innings. At bat against Chech 26, against Arrellanes 13. Sacrifice hit—Arrellanes. Sacrifice fly—Niles. Stolen bases—Bush, Cobb, O'Leary, Schaefer, Stanage, Stahl. Double plays—Schaefer, Bush and Rossman; Carrigan and Wagner. Left on bases—Detroit 7, Boston 5. First base on balls—By Willet 1. First base on errors—Detroit 1. Hit by pitcher—By Arrellanes, Bush. Struck out—By Willet 3, by Chech 2, by Arrellanes 1. Time—1.50. Umpires—Kerin and Sheridan.

HEAVY BATTING

Three Homers in Yesterday's Game

There were about three hundred baseball enthusiasts at Washington park yesterday afternoon to witness the game between Lowell and Lynn. Despite the fact that it was ladies' day there were very few of the gentler sex in attendance and those who went to the game unattended had to settle.

Blanchard started pitching for Lowell, but was sent to the stables after Lynn had batted him out and Musil was substituted. Boyle was on the receiving end of the battery. The battery for the visitors was composed of Hoff and Foster.

Lowell started off in the first inning with a rush, but with the bases filled and none out, failed to score. Uniac, Fleming and Howard made singles, filling the bases, but Fitzpatrick hit to Hoff, the Lynn pitcher who threw Uniac out at the plate, while the ball was sent to first for a double on Fitzpatrick. Cox was third out on a fly to Wallace.

Lowell scored a run in the second inning. Venable drew a base on balls and went to third on a sacrifice by Ball. Boyle flied to Hamilton, Venable scoring on the put out. Blanchard hit to Blizer and was third out.

Lynn slammed out four runs in the third inning. Burg made a single and he went to second on Hoff's sacrifice. Page scored Burg on a single. Hamilton got a single sending Page to third. Hamilton and Page attempted a double steal, Page scoring, but Hamilton was held on first. Zimmerman hit to Venable forcing Hamilton at second and Zimmerman then stole second. With Zimmerman on second Wallace sent the ball over the right field fence for a home run and two runs were scored. Reischman closed the inning by hitting to Fitzpatrick and the latter threw the runner out at first.

Lowell got another run in the fourth inning. Cox tried to Reischman. Venable hit to Billet who threw bad to first and the runner went to second. Ball hit to Hoff and reached first in safety while Venable went to third. Boyle scored Venable with a single to centre field. Musil was third out on an easy fly.

Lynn scored two more runs in the fifth inning. Hamilton hit to Fitzpatrick and was out at first. Zimmerman hit through Fitzpatrick and got on first. He stole second. Wallace hit to centre field for two bases scoring Zimmerman. Reischman sent Wallace to third with a single and when Foster hit to Uniac, Wallace scored on the play. Fullerton hit to Venable forcing Foster at second and Burg was third out, Uniac to Cox.

Lynn scored another run in the sixth inning the ball being sent over the right field fence for a home run.

In the latter half of the inning Ball got a three bagger but could not score.

Lynn got two more in the seventh on hits by Wallace, Reischman, and Foster with a sacrifice by Fullerton on the side. In the 8th they made it two more.

Wallace walked and stole second, coming in a moment later on a drive to right by Reischman, Foster hit to far right, advancing Reischman to third. Fullerton went out at first, and Burg scored Foster by a hit to center.

In the second half of the ninth, Howard hammered the ball over the right field fence for a homer, and the game ended with the score 11—3.

The score:

LYNN

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Page, 2b	5	2	2	3	1	0
Hamilton, cf	5	0	2	3	0	0
Zimmerman, rf	5	2	1	0	0	0
Wallace, lf	3	4	3	1	0	0
Reischman, 1b	5	1	3	12	0	0
Foster, c	5	1	3	5	1	0
Belger, 3b	1	0	0	0	2	0
Burg, ss	5	1	3	2	4	1
Hoff, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
Fullerton, 3b	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	39	11	17	27	12	1

LOWELL.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Uniac, ss	5	0	2	3	2	0
Fleming, rf	5	0	2	0	0	0
Howard, cf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Fitzpatrick, 2b	5	0	1	5	3	0
Cox, 1b	5	0	0	12	2	1
Venable, 3b	3	2	1	3	3	0
Ball, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Boyle, c	4	0	1	1	4	0
Blanchard, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Musil, p	3	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	38	3	10	27	19	1

Lynn	0	0	4	0	2	1	2	0	2	—11
Lowell	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	— 3

Two base hits—Zimmerman, Wallace. Three base hit—Ball. Home runs—Wallace, Page, Howard. Hits—Off Blanchard 5 in 3 innings; off Musil 12 in 6 innings. Sacrifice hits—Ball, Hoff. Stolen bases—Page 2, Zimmerman 2. Double plays—Hoff, Foster and Reischman. Left on bases—By Lynn 7, by Lowell 12. First base on balls—By Musil 2, by Hoff 2. First base on errors—Lowell 1, Lynn 1. Struck out—By Blanchard 1, by Hoff 4. Time—2.02. Umpire Buckley. Attendance—300.

DIAMOND NOTES.

All the owners of the Lowell team were at the game yesterday and so were Jimmie Gray and Patsey Donovan, the latter being scout for the Boston Americans and formerly manager of the Pittsburgs.

Uniac is playing the kind of ball that makes the fans happy.

The Lynn team is drawing big crowds to Ocean Park. Why not? Billy Hamilton is manager.

Mr. Beckwith, the Lynn Item's celebrated cartoonist, and Mr. Penniman of the Lynn News accompanied the team to this city yesterday. Both were much interested in the home of the "annual wash."

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Detroit	17	8	68.0
Boston	15	9	62.5
New York	15	9	62.5
Philadelphia	14	9	60.9
Chicago	11	15	42.3
St. Louis	10	14	41.7
Cleveland	9	16	36.0
Washington	8	17	32.1

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

At Detroit—Boston 3, Detroit 3.
At Chicago—Philadelphia 3, Chicago 0.
At Cleveland—New York 4, Cleveland 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	18	9	66.7
Chicago	17	12	58.6
Philadelphia	12	12	50.0
Cincinnati	15	15	50.0
Boston	15	14	44.0
Brooklyn	11	14	44.0
St. Louis	13	17	43.3
New York	10	14	41.7

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

At Boston—St. Louis 3, Boston 1.
At Philadelphia—Chicago 3, Philadelphia 2.
At Brooklyn—Pittsburg 8, Brooklyn 3 (10 innings).
At New York—Cincinnati 4, New York 3.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Haverhill	12	7	62.2
Lynn	11	7	61.1
Fall River	11	8	57.9
Worcester	11	8	57.9
Brockton	10	9	52.6
New Bedford	8	10	44.4
Lawrence	7	12	36.8
Lowell	5	14	26.4

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS

At Lowell—Lynn 11, Lowell 3.
At Haverhill—Worcester 3, Haverhill 1.
At Lawrence—Brockton 2, Lawrence 0 (13 innings).
At New Bedford—Fall River 13, New Bedford 9.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

Arthur Earley, who, with a team of excellent ball players, playing under the name of the Mathews, won the championship of the city from the Sanctuary choir aggregation last year, is forming a team this season and in all probability will accept the challenge of Manager Queenan of the Shamrocks to play a series of games to decide the title. He expects to have practically the same line-up as last year, and has changed the name of his team. This season the erstwhile Mathew team will appear on the diamond under the name of Lowell Americans, which name it played under several years prior to the formation of the Catholic league which it entered and adopted the name of Mathews. If negotiations are completed, the contests will be played at Washington park, the first of the series being played May 31.

The Young Lowells would like to play any team under 12 years of age for a quarter ball. We will play the Fulton A. C. Saturday afternoon. If it isn't afraid for a quarter ball. Send all challenges to "Duckie" Cannon, 341 Lakeview avenue, or P. Reid, captain, 51 Front street.

The Lowell Cubs will challenge any team in and about Lowell at the age of 14, for a quarter ball. We will pay the Leroys Saturday afternoon on our own grounds if they are not afraid of losing a quarter ball. We have some very fast scouts. Nothing gets by us but wind, and it has to go some to do it. Please send me, the captain or manager of the Leroys to arrange a game. Send all challenges to Capt. and Mgr. McCann, 7 Hampshire place, Centralville. Our lineup is: J. McCann c, J. Sullivan p, W. O'Brien 1b, F. Graham 2b, F. Lacey ss, J. Eastman 3b, C. Nugent lf, L. Greenhalge rf, T. Magrail cf.

The Fulton A. C. would like to play any team in the city under 12 years of age. Our lineup is as follows: W. Hogan c, L. Cart p, W. Hart 1b, W. O'Brien 2b, J. Thompson ss, J. Sargent 3b, G. Eastham lf, J. Mulvey cf, F. J. Larkin rf. E. Hart is our mascot. Send all challenges to L. Hart, 107 Fulton street.

The Altar Boys will play the Leroy's next Saturday afternoon on the South common at 2.30 sharp. This will be the second time the two teams have met, the Altar Boys defeating the Leroys last time by the score of 12 to 8. A red hot game is expected as both are first class teams. All games wanted with the Altar Boys should be sent through this paper or to R. Forgays, 184 South street.

The Wannalancits would like to challenge any team in the city under 11 years of age, the Crystals preferred. We beat the Young Textiles 10 to 9 two weeks ago. Our lineup: F. Lambert, c or ss; J. Furey, p; J. Cullen, 1b; T. Reardon, 2b; B. Furey, 3b; E. Lambert, ss or c; H. Peters, rf; D. Martin or J. Hessian, lf; T. Delmore, cf. Send challenges through this paper.

The Union Blues would like to challenge any team under 13 years of age. Send all challenges to Harold Forgays, 184 South street, or through this paper.

The McNabb Pets would like to play any team under 11 years of age in the city. Our lineup is as follows: W. Carrigan, c; E. Connor, p; F. Shanahan, 1b; W. Newhall, 2b; G. Morris, 3b; J. Ringwood, ss; M. Whelton, cf; J. Quinn, rf; H. Bolan, lf. Jimmy Carrigan will wipe the sweat off the bats and Harold Brown will carry water. Honey Boy is our mascot. Send all challenges to W. Newhall, 1 Marion street. We would like a game from the Starters for Saturday morning.

The Ayer City team, which is composed of some of the best talented ball players in the city, is now ready to meet any independent nine in town. The team has played several games and came out on top in each contest. Manager Gill says that the past contests were like taking candy from a baby and that he would like to meet a team that would give his men a run for their money. The manager may be found any evening at the corner of Lincoln and Main streets or at his residence in Lincoln street.

The Sacred Hearts would like to arrange games with local teams under 13 years of age. Address replies to F. Kneafsey, London street.

The Mysteries would like to arrange a game for Saturday, May 22, with any strong 13 year old amateur team in the city. Here is the lineup: Mullen p, Riley c, Bancroft 1b, Toohey 2b, Mullarkey ss, Mann 3b, O'Hare cf, Hutchinson rf, Foster lf. Send all challenges to Riley, 12 Stanley street. We are not afraid to go away from our own grounds. Now get ready, for we are going to clear the road.

Pres. Maguire of the Musketaquid club would like to meet the managers of the following teams at the boathouse in Billerica street tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock: Carson A. C., Eagles, Richmonds, Avons, Hawthorns, Pacifics, Indians 2d. It is the intention of Mr. Maguire to try and form an amateur league and if the proposition is agreeable to all the opening games will be played Saturday.

"Sully."

SPORTING NEWS

Arrangements have been made to run four special trains from New York over the Pennsylvania railroad to Philadelphia tonight, when Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion, will box six rounds with Jack O'Brien at the National A. C. No heavyweight contest since the Johnson-Burns mill in Australia last December has caused so much interest in the sporting world. It will be Johnson's first appearance in the ring since he won the world's title from Tommy Burns in 14 rounds and therefore ring followers are anxious to see the big black man in action. The fact that Johnson designed Sam Langford and Kaufman, then made a match with Stanley Ketchel to be decided next October, after which he received word from Jeffries that the latter would fight him next year, has made him the most talked about pugilist before the public today. Yet there is much doubt as to his right to be called a first class heavyweight pugilist, and O'Brien, regarded as the most scientific white boxer in the world, is among the doubting ones. Six rounds do not provide much of a test, it is true, but as O'Brien is a whirlwind and Johnson is believed to possess remarkable science this bout bids fair to be a clinker if it is on the level.

Persons who have seen O'Brien within the last three days say that he is in remarkable physical condition. They insist that he has trained harder for this bout than for any previous affair in the ring and that he honestly believes he will take Johnson's measure decisively. O'Brien is not a slugger in the strict sense of the word, but he can punch with plenty of power—so much so that he had Ketchel reeling around the ring at the end of the sixth round in their recent fight in this city. For that reason and because of his phenomenal speed in attack O'Brien is telling his associates that he may succeed in getting home a wallop on a vital spot. It is conceded on all sides that Johnson is much slower in attack and defence than O'Brien and that if he is not in the finest possible condition he may have his hands full. It is predicted that the big negro will be satisfied to stand flat footed and pick off as many of O'Brien's jabs and swings with his long reach as possible, but it is not believed by good judges that Johnson will outpoint the scientific Quaker when boxing at long range.

Johnson's best work is done at close quarters and O'Brien is well aware of the fact. It is the prevailing opinion therefore that O'Brien will put up the same kind of a fight that Jim Corbett did in his 23 round mill with Jeffries at Coney Island, when in the early rounds he made the big boilermaker look like a cigar sign. Johnson is booked to sail for England in about ten days and is particularly anxious to trim O'Brien, for a defeat at the latter's hands would go a long way toward convincing the British sporting public that Johnson dodged the fight with Langford in London on May 24 because of cowardice. New York fight fans were inclined to make O'Brien a slight favorite while discussing the match recently, and it is a cinch that Philadelphia fans will show a desire to place their coin the same way. Johnson says he will weigh 205 pounds when he gets into the ring, about 35 pounds more than O'Brien's weight. There will be no decision by the referee, so that the result will be left to experts at the ringside.

Freddie Welsh, the English lightweight, will have another chance to prove his right to a match with Battling Nelson when he hooks up with Jack Goodman in a ten round bout at the Fairmont A. C., New York, next Friday night. Welsh has enjoyed a much needed rest since his recent bout with Johnny Frayne and says he will put up a much better argument. Welsh will take Phil Brock of Cleveland on for twelve rounds at the Armory A. C. in Boston, next Tuesday night at 133 pounds, scaling at 2 o'clock, more than seven hours before ring time.

The Cleveland club has purchased the release of Infielder Neal Ball of the Highlanders and he will report to Manager Lajoie at once. It is said that if Jack Knight does not fill the gap at second base that position will be turned over to Robert Vaughn, the Princeton college man, who will report to Manager Stallings on May 25. From all accounts the Highlanders have picked up a star in young Vaughn, who was signed in the nick of time, as Hugh Jennings was hot on the trail to land him with the Detroits.

The deal just closed by which the Chicago White Sox gave up Pitcher Altrock, First Baseman Donohue and Outfielder Cravath to Washington for Pitcher Burns is causing no end of talk in American league circles. It is charged that Owner Comiskey's friendship for Manager Cantillon cut an important figure in the transaction. Burns is said to be a coming left hander and his acquisition will give the White Sox a remarkable string of pitchers in Walsh, White, Owen and Scott. It is said that Comiskey could not give away Altrock and Donohue to any of the other American league clubs and that Cantillon turned down several big offers for Burns so that the latter could go to Chicago.

The most important stakes to be run at Belmont Park this week are the Ladies, for three-year-old fillies, on Thursday, and the Withers, for three-year-old colts, on Saturday. Looking over the list of eligibles it would appear that Maskette, James R. Keene's superb filly, has the Ladies at her mercy, while J. E. Madden's Fayette will have nothing much to beat in the Withers.

It was rumored yesterday that the meeting scheduled for the Empire City track in July might be transferred to Aqueduct because racegoers can enjoy cooler weather there than at Yonkers. It was said that P. J. Dwyer had received a proposition on this line and was inclined to accept it.

"Follow the Madden stable!" is the watchword among racegoers this spring. With Jack Joyner in England with the best of the Whitney and Belmont horses and with the Keene stable less formidable than in past years, the horses owned by Madden loom up in a formidable array. Because of his determination to remain loyal to the turf in this country it looks as if Madden stands an excellent chance to receive his reward. He has some splendid two-year-olds, and Fayette is conceded to be the best three-year-old in training here.

It is said that since the recent victory of Sir Martin in England several big turf speculators here have cabled a $15,000 commission to be placed on the Ogden colt's chances in the Derby. The money passed through a well known Wall street house on Saturday, it is reported. Sir Martin is a strong second choice at 11 to 2 and will carry a fortune to the post.

COLLEGE ROWING

Because of the change in date of the intercollegiate boat races at Poughkeepsie Wisconsin's crews will not leave for the Hudson until June 17 instead of June 12. The oarsmen will be able to take most of their examinations at Madison and no faculty member will have to make the trip east, as was the earlier plan. Instead of the regular coaching launch an 18 foot power boat with a speed of about sixteen miles an hour will be taken to the Hudson.

The Syracuse varsity crew will leave on May 19 for Annapolis to row against the Navy on May 26. The Navy has beaten New York, Columbia and the Potomac B. C. thus far this year. It is as good an eight as the Navy has had in some time, so it will be a good test for Syracuse.

There shouldn't be much to the race between Yale and the Potomac B. C. if the Elis are developing anything like it is said they are doing. The Potomacs were beaten at least eight lengths by the Navy first crew and by lengths by the Navy second in a mile and a half rowed in 8 minutes 44 3-5 seconds by the winners. That time isn't so very good. Yale's crew of Rice, bow; Glenny, 2; Widrell, 3; Hyde, 4; Baker, 5; Howe, 6; Van Blarcom, 7, and Wallis, stroke, will average 174¼ pounds, 3½ pounds more to the man than the Potomacs.

Penn's freshman boat which won from the Central crew by eight lengths in a mile and a half on the Schuylkill recently was made up of Bell, bow; DeLong, 2; Mulford, 3; Barrett, 4; Pryor, 5; Shoemaker, 6; Alexander, 7, and Heath, stroke.

It now is proposed by the manager of rowing at Washington that any rules adopted looking toward the formation of a Pacific coast rowing association should take effect in 1910. California is unwilling to join any association, but Stanford will come in.

They are having better weather now at Ithaca, and with the improvement in conditions the varsity boats have braced up greatly. It is not clear yet what Coach Courtney intends to do with his men after the junior varsity race at Philadelphia. He may keep right on with that junior boat if it does well in the American Henley and let the same men row nine days later against Harvard at Ithaca. After that he may make his selections for Poughkeepsie. It seems logical that he should use a combination which has been together for some time rather than count on nine days of work together of men selected from his varsity and junior boats, so-called.

HUGH McGANN

WAS KNOCKED DOWN SIX TIMES

PITTSBURG, May 19.—Six times last night Hugh McGann was down for a count of nine in a six round bout with Stanley Ketchel, champion middleweight of the world. Five times in the sixth round he was saved from a knockout by a second. Twice he was knocked through the ropes, once clear across the press table into the seats of spectators. Ketchel apparently toyed with his opponent and probably could have knocked him out had he tried hard. Only the cheering voices of his champions from the audience inspired McGann several times to get upon his feet again, after being all but knocked out.

For the first three rounds McGann fought hard and landed several times on the champion, but apparently he exhausted himself in the early rounds and could not face the powerful blows of his antagonist after the first half of the bout. No decision was permissible under the Pennsylvania laws.

Never before has so large an audience witnessed a boxing bout in Pittsburg. Six thousand persons crowded Duquesne Gardens, among them being men prominent in financial, political and business circles. Preceding the big fight three preliminary bouts were pulled off. Both Ketchel and McGann were in prime condition. Unusual interest was attached to the fight owing to the fact that Ketchel has a contract to meet Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion.

TO BUILD NEW MILL

TAUNTON, May 19.—Employment to nearly 350 additional hands and additional capacity of about 60 per cent is provided for in the plans of the Corr mills, cotton manufacturers, announced here yesterday, of erecting a new weave shed. The proposed addition will add about 1000 looms to the nearly 1500 looms at present in the plant, making the total capacity about 70,000 spindles. The additional hands will bring the total number employed to 550.

Coincident with the announcement of the extension in operations was that of a departure in the line of production. Hereafter, the plant will manufacture the fine grades of cotton cloth, in addition to the lines which are made at present. Most of the new machinery will be used in the new work.

TO APPEAR IN VAUDEVILLE

NEW YORK, May 19.—Announcement was made yesterday that Mrs. William E. Annis, wife of the man for whose death Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., began serving a Sing Sing sentence yesterday morning, has signed a contract with the United Booking office, to play piano accompaniments in a vaudeville sketch.

Mrs. Annis is quoted as saying that since she has been thrown on her own resources it was necessary for her to adopt some means of livelihood, and having musical talent the stage appeared preferable.

ANNUAL RECITAL

BY PUPILS OF MR. AND MRS. MARK PEASE

The sixth annual recital by the pupils of Mr. and Mrs. Mark M. Pease was held last night at Colonial hall. There was a good sized attendance of relatives and friends of the pupils as well as the lovers of piano and violin selections.

The following was the program carried out:

Violins and piano, Cavaleria Rusticana, Irene White, Ethel Sharrow, Camilla Scott, Florence Turner, Etta Murray, Helga Ohlsen, Augustus Dutton, L. T. Conley, John McQuade, William Stevenson, John Armstead, Alfred Warren, Herbert Mattinson, Willie Kirby, James Gilmore, John Gilmore, Chester Codding, Clifton Harrison, Josef Cebula, John Allen, Harry Dupont, Roderique Gendreau.

Piano duet, Hunting Song.
Willie McGreevey and Mrs. Pease.

Piano solo, Nocturne.
Margaret Devine.

Violin solo, La Somnambula.
Herbert Mattinson.

Piano solo, Alpine Song.
Mildred Tinker.

Piano solo, Playful Waves.
Flossie Church.

Violin solo, Romance in F,
James Gilmore.

Piano solo, Valse Brilliante.
Etta McCartin.

Violin solo, Serenade.
Ethel Sharrow.

Piano solo, Water Wheel.
Mary Murphy.

Violin solo, Trovatore.
Alfred Warren.

Piano solo, Joyfulness.
Helen McCartney.

Piano duet, Rosetta Mazurka.
Lionel Durstho?, Louise Durstho?.

Violins, Overture Des Marionettes.
Advanced Pupils and Piano.

Piano solo, Mountain Bells.
Peace Warren.

Piano solo, Invitation au Galop.
May Brown.

Violin duet, Sounds from the Alps
Ethel Sharrow, Mr. Pease.

Piano solo, Hearts' Springtime,
Lillian O'Brien.

Piano solo, Idylle.
Madeline Scott.

Violin solo, Faust.
Irene White.

Piano solo, Blushing Morn.
Mary Toy.

Violin, Invitation to Waltz.
Willie Kirby.

Piano duet, Red Top Polka.
Margaret McNenney, Mary McNenney.

Violin, Believe Me, Those Endearing Charms.
John McQuade.

Piano, Song of the Woodman,
Edith Toy.

Hope March.
Violin class and piano.

If You don't attend this sale you'll always regret it.

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MERRIMACK & PALMER STREETS

Our First Anniversary Sale is the talk of the town.

STORE OPENS AT 8.30 A. M. JOHN S. BACHMAN, Pres. JOHN J. BURNS, Sec'y MATTHEW SCOTT, Treas. STORE OPENS AT 8.30 A. M.

Thursday Morning at 8.30 O'Clock, We Start on the Second Week of the Great Anniversary Sale

Thursday will start an exceptional second week in the progress of our FIRST ANNIVERSARY SALE. Because it will introduce so many new things and so many fine values, it will be a day long to be remembered by the shoppers in our store. Good value is the corner stone on which we builded for this sale, high quality caps the structure, and on prices there's a hundred-pound pressure to the fractional part of each figure. IT'S THE CARNIVAL OF THE GIVING OF GOOD VALUES and here's a lot of evidence that will go to prove this—pure and simple.

PROMPT ACTION WILL ENABLE YOU TO SECURE THESE:

SPECIALS IN INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Children's Rompers, in blue mixed Gingham, 2 to 6 years.....10c
Children's Dresses, Galatea stripes and plains 45c
Children's Guimps 50c
Girls' Percale and Chambray Dresses, Jumper and Guimp styles, 6 to 14 years $1
75c and $1 Kimonas for this sale 49c
Good Muslin Kimona for 19c
Wash Dresses in two piece, made of good Percale 79c
Extra quality Percale 2-piece Wash Dress, well worth $1.25..$1
Two Piece Dresses of fine Gingham, in plain blue mixed, worth $2.98, for $1.95
Black Sateen Petticoats marked 69c for this sale only.
Seersucker Striped Petticoats 39c, worth 50c.
Heatherbloom Petticoats, $1.
All Silk Petticoats, guaranteed 3 months $2.98

SKIRTS, SUITS, COATS AND DRESSES

New Princess and Jumper Dresses, made of fine Chambray and plain linene, trimmed with piping, only $1.98
Jumper and Princess Suits, made of fine gingham, etc. $2.98
All Wool Worsted Suits, $7.95. Come in Reseda, Brown, Navy and Wistaria, well worth $15.
$22.50 and $25 Suits, $16.50 and $18.50.
Fine assortment of Suits at $13.50.

UNDERCLOTHES

That will delight the heart of any bride. Every bride is glad of such things. Here is your opportunity during the second week of this sale.

Corset Covers, made of good cambric, trimmed with three rows of lace and ribbon run. Regular price 25c .....12½ Each
Corset Covers, handsomely trimmed with four rows of lace insertion and deep edge, two rows of ribbon run. Regular price 29c .....19c Each
Women's Drawers, made of fine quality cambric with deep hamburg ruffle. Regular price 39c .....25c Pair
Women's Long White Skirts, made of good quality cambric with flounce of tucks and hamburg edge. Regular price 75c 50c Each
Long White Skirts made of unstarched cambric with deep flounce consisting of five rows of lace insertion and edge. Regular price $1.50 .....$1.00 Each
Combination Corset Cover and Skirt, trimmed with lace insertions, edge and beading. Special value .....75c Each
Misses' Night Robes, made of good cambric, with yoke of hamburg insertion and edge. Regular price 50c .....39c Each

A Skirt manufacturer has sent us for the Anniversary Sale four special lots of White Skirts.

LOT ONE

White Skirts, good quality Nainsook, deep tuck flounce, lace or hamburg edge 50c

LOT TWO

White Skirts of fine Nainsook, with deep tucked flounce, regular price $1, in this sale 69c

LOT THREE

White Skirts, 15 inch hamburg flounce, $1.50 Skirts for.....$1

LOT FOUR

White Skirts, 18 inch flounce, five rows of insertion and edge, a $2.50 Skirt for $1.50

WAISTS IN THE ANNIVERSARY SALE

For 98c we will sell you a $1.50 Waist.
For $1.98 we will sell you a $3.00 Waist.
Panama Skirts, nicely trimmed, with three rows of taffeta, come in black, brown and gray mixtures.....$1.98
Voile Skirts at $2.98
Black French Voile Skirts at.....$5.00
Raincoats at $6.95
Covert Coats, 54 inches long $7.95
Black Panama Coats $1.98
Coat of Scotch Mixture, 35 inches long.....$5.75
Coat of Scotch Mixture, 52 inches long $9.95

Now Is the Time to Buy Your SUMMER UNDERWEAR

Commencing the second week of our Anniversary Sale, just to celebrate, we offer:

Women's Vests, low neck, sleeveless, and lace trimmed, in all sizes, slightly imperfect, worth 12½c and 15c.....6¼c
Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests, low neck and sleeveless, silk finish with mercerized tape; seconds; regular price 25c, for 12½c
Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, with wide lace at knee, regular price 50c. Sale price..... 33c

MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Lay In a Supply at These Prices

Men's Fancy Colored Lisle Half Hose, Jacquard weaves, 25c quality .....15c Pair
Men's Black Maco Cotton Half Hose, double heel and toe, 15c quality .....10c Pair
Men's Black and Tans, split soles, 25c quality. .....15c Pair
Children's Black Cotton 1-1 Rib Hose, double soles, heels and toes, 12½c quality .....6¼c Pair
Children's Medium Weight Black Cotton Hose, double heels and toes, 19c quality .....12½c Pair
Children's Egyptian Silk Lisle Hose, full fashioned, 25c quality .....19c Pair
Women's Fine Black Maco Cotton Hose, linen soles, double heels and toes, 29c quality .....17c Pair
Women's Fine Tan Cotton Hose, double soles, heels and toes, a special 15c quality .....8c Pair
Women's Silk Lisle Hose, double heels and toes, a regular 25c quality .....19c Pair, 3 Pairs for 50c

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

At Half Price in the Anniversary Sale.

Women's Plain Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular price 5c, in this sale 2c
Women's Embroidered Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, regular price 25c, in this sale 12½c
Men's Plain Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular price 5c, in this sale 3c
Men's Plain Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs, regular price 19c, in this sale 12½c

WOMEN'S FANCY NECKWEAR

The Prettiest Neckwear to be Had Anywhere.

New Fresh Dutch Collars, Jabots and Stocks, 25c and 50c designs 19c
500 Collars, Jabots and Stocks, 50c pieces, some 75c..... 39c
Linen Embroidered Collars, new designs, 19c and 25c values, 12½c

WHITE GOODS

In Plain and Fancy Weaves. None Such Ever Offered Before.

12½c 30-inch India Linen, very fine and sheer, new goods, only 8c
25c 30-inch India Linen, very fine and sheer, new goods, only 17c
15c Dotted Muslins, in 3 size dots, very good quality, only 9½c
15c extra fine quality of Sheer Dimities, in small, medium and large checks, with 1, 2 and 3 bars, only.....9½c Yard
37½c very fine and sheer Muslins and Batistes, in plaids with dots and mercerized figures, embroidered figures in white and some colored, will make handsome graduation dresses, and price only .....10c Yard
37c White Linen Waistings, 36 inches wide, real sheer and fine, only .....19c Yard

HEMSTITCHED AND FRINGED TABLE AND LUNCH CLOTHS

At Less Than Half Price

36 and 45 inch Square Fringed and hemstitched, all linen Lunch Cloths of German make, very fine quality, worth $1.25 each, only 49c
36 and 45 inch Square Lunch Cloths, fringed and hemstitched, very fine German quality, real value $2.00. Sale price only 95c each
$2.00 Hemstitched Cloth, size 2x2 yards, with Mexican drawn work, very fine only $1.39
$2.50 Hemstitched Cloth, size 2x2½ yards, same as above, only $1.95 each
$1.00 Hemstitched Lunch Cloths, pure linen, of very fine quality, only .....75c each
$1.50 Hemstitched Lunch Cloths, pure linen, extra fine and handsome, only .....95c each

DECORATIVE LINENS

The most complete Fancy Linen Department in the state. We sell more Fancy Linens than any other store of our size in New England. We buy in large quantities. We import our own goods.

10c 9-inch Pure Linen Knotted Fringed Doilies, round, square, and oval .....2½c Each
10c 7-inch Square Doilies, hemstitched, with Mexican work, 2½c Each
25c 12 to 15-inch Knotted Fringed Pure Linen Doilies, 6¼c Each
50c 15 to 18-inch Hemstitched Squares, beautiful hand-drawn centres, for .....19c Each
75c 15 to 24 inch Hemstitched Squares, handsome centers of Mexican and Japanese hand-drawn work, fine quality linen, only .....39c Each
50c 30x30 Squares, 18x45 and 18x54 Scarfs, hemstitched, good quality linen, while they last, only.....19c Each
$1.00 18x45 and 18x54 Scarfs with handsome openwork, very fine quality of linen, never sold by any store less than $1.00, our price .....50c Each
50c, 18x54 Scalloped Edge Scarfs, extra fine quality and will give splendid wear, only .....19c each
18x54 Renaissance, 3 piece Scarfs, made of very fine braid and put together by hand, real value of this scarf is $1.40. Sale price 95c

TOWELS

15c Huck Towels, large size, extra good quality, only....8c Each
20c Huck Towels, extra size, German make, nearly pure linen, all white, only .....12½c Each
25c Huck Towels, good size, Scotch and German make, only 17c Each
20c Bleached Turkish Towels, double warp, extra size and heavy, only .....12½c Each
37½c Bleached Turkish Towels, double warp, real large size and extra heavy, only .....25c Each
Very Fine Quality Huck Towels, size 20 inches wide and 40 inches long, extra size, real value 17c, sale price .....10c each

TABLE LINENS

98c Table Linen, 72 inches wide, pure linen, heavy, of Scotch make, only .....69c Yard
$1.25 Table Linen, 72 inches wide, pure linen, extra fine and heavy, in Scotch, Irish and German makes.....95c Yard
$1.50 Table Linen, 72 inches wide, pure, fine, heavy linen, never sold less than $1.50 a yard, only.....$1.00 Yard
Napkins to match the above damasks at greatly reduced prices.

PATTERN CLOTHS

$2.50 Pattern Cloth, size 2x2 yds., 12 handsome designs, real good quality, only .....$1.95 Each
$3.00 Pattern Cloth, size 2x2½ yards, same as above in quality, only larger .....$2.45 Each
$3.50 Pattern Cloth, size 2x3 yards, same as above in quality, only larger .....$2.95 Each
Napkins to match in 20, 22 and 24 inches, at $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50 a Dozen

PURE LINEN NAPKINS

$1.25 Pure Linen Napkins, size 19 inch, of very good quality and design, only ..... 95c Dozen
$2.50 Pure Linen Napkins, size 20 inch, extra good value, only $1.95 Dozen
$3.25 Pure Linen Napkins, size 23 inch, very fine and heavy, only .....$2.50 Dozen

COTTON DIAPER

59c Best Quality Red Star Antiseptic Cotton Diaper, 18 inches wide, only .....39c Piece

SILKS AT ASTONISHING PRICES

69c Foulard Silk in all the newest up-to-date patterns, handsome neat figures and stripes. Choice .....39c Yard
69c Messaline Silk in all the latest shades. Black and white, splendid quality. Choice.....39c Yard
69c Rough Shantung Pongee Silk, 27 inches wide, all shades and natural color. Choice.....39c Yard
39c 27-inch wide, all colors, Seco Silk, beautiful waistings, only .....25c Yard
$1.00 27-inch Black Taffeta Silk. Beautiful rich lustre, only 69c Yard
$1.39 36-inch Black Taffeta Silk. High grade dress quality, only .....$1.00 Yard
$1.00 All Silk Shantung Pongee Silk for auto coats, summer dresses, seaside costumes and evening gowns. Beautiful range of colors .....59c Yard

DRESS GOODS

$1.00 Mansard Suiting, 44 inches wide, in neat blue and green, blue and black, brown and green checks, very desirable for coats, suits or separate skirts good value for $1.00, sale price .....19c Yard
50c and 59c Dress Goods for 39c. All wool Batiste, herringbone serges, cheviots, stripe suitings, black and white check serges in all the latest shades, for .....39c Yard

NEW WASH GOODS

At very attractive prices. Large purchase of desirable Wash Goods enables us to offer during our Anniversary Week some unusually good values.

6¼c Apron Ginghams, three size checks. Anniversary price 3½c Yard
8c Apron Ginghams, best quality, blue checks, only....5½c Yard
6c Light Prints, best quality, neat figures and stripes...4c Yard
6¼c Printed Batiste .....2½c Yard
12½c Ginghams, stripes and checks, best goods....7½c Yard
12½c best quality 36-inch Percales, light and dark....7½c Yard
12½c Dress Sateens in small, neat figures, only.....6¼c Yard
12½c new, up-to-date Printed Batiste in floral stripe, and neat little figures, dark and light ground.....6¼c Yard
25c Silk Muslins, plain and figured, handsome for evening or street wear. Special price only.....12½c Yard
25c Best Quality Soisette and Irish Poplin, in all the latest shades, plain and polka dot, only.....17c Yard
25c Imported Mercerized Ginghams, very handsome....13c Yard
15c 36-inch plain blue, red and pink Chambray, real fine, only 6¼c Yard

RUG AND CARPET DEPT.

65c Genuine Cork Linoleum.....44c Sq. Yd.
50c Heavy Quality Oil Cloth.....20c Sq. Yd.
5 more bales just arrived of Hodges' Fibre Carpet, drummers' samples, make nice rugs, worth 50c to $1.50, 15c to 79c Each
9-foot and 12-foot Rugs, worth up to $20.....$3.95 to $8.95
Large Bigelow Axminster Rugs.....$5.98 to $11.95
35c to 60c 1-yard wide Fibre Carpet.....19c

A FRESH SHIPMENT OF NEW GLOVES ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Just in time for the second week of our Anniversary Sale. This is the last chance you will have to buy Long and Short Lisle Gloves at these prices from present indications this season.

For 14c a woman may procure two clasp Milanese Suede Lisle Gloves, Paris point backs, silk backs, pearl clasps, black, white and all the new Spring Shades. These gloves are perfect goods and the real value is 50 and 75c a pair.

For 25c you will find 12 and 16 button length fine Lisle Gloves, black, white and the new Spring colorings. Some of these gloves are worth $1.00 pair.

We are selling 2-clasp perfect fitting Kid Gloves, all sizes and all colors, a regular $1.00 Glove for 63c pair.

12 and 16 Button Chamois Gloves in natural and white, sold everywhere for $2.98. In this sale $1.19 pair.

DOMESTIC SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

9c yard wide Bleached Cotton, soft finish, good quality..5½c Yard
10c yard wide Bleached Cotton, all well known brands, such as Fruit of the Loom, Langdon, Hill and others, only..6¼c Yard
Good Quality Unbleached Cotton, only.....3c Yard
8c yard wide Unbleached Cotton, good and heavy, only..5c Yard
15c 42-inch Pillow Case Cotton, soft and fine, only....10c Yard
25c 9-4 Bleached Sheeting, fully 2¼ yards wide, only..19c Yard
23c 9-4 Unbleached Sheeting, real good quality, only..15c Yard
32c 9-4 Bleached Fruit of the Loom Sheeting, only.....25c Yard
35c 10-4 Bleached Fruit of the Loom Sheeting, only....27c Yard
17c 42x36 and 45x36 inch Pillow Cases, very heavy and bleached 12½c Each
30c 72x90 Good Quality Seamed Sheets, only.....20c Each
50c 81x90 Good Quality Seamed Sheets, only .....39c Each
75c 81x90 Best Quality Seamless Sheets, extra heavy 50c Each
$1.00 81x90 Best Quality Seamless Sheets, extra heavy 59c Each

DRAPERY DEPT.

Hemstitched Ruffled Sash Curtains.....12½c pr
Ruffled Battenberg Muslin Curtains .....44c pr
25c Scotch Muslin, 40 inches wide .....19c yd
$2.75 Scotch Madras Lace Curtains .....$1.98 pr
$5.00 Beautiful Braided Curtains, 4 patterns.....$3.00 pr
Sofa Pillows .....25c, 39c and 59c
50 drummers' samples of Couch Covers, full 60 inches wide, extra heavy, worth $2.25 to $4.75 .....$1.39 to $2.75

TOWELING BY THE YARD

12½c Pure Linen, red or white border Crash, made of pure flax and will give splendid wear, only .....7½c yd
17c Extra Heavy Pure Linen Crash in white or red borders, only 12½c yd

A NEW LOT OF WOMEN'S BELTS GO ON SALE THURSDAY

25c and 39c Fancy Elastic Belts 15c
50c and 75c Fancy Elastic Belts 29c
$1.00 Fancy Elastic Belts 39c

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1909. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public

This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

The Wright brothers had to go to Europe to get the recognition which their genius deserves. Our government is slow to patronize the genius of her own citizens. Foreign governments offer far greater encouragement to inventors of flying machines.

SMOOT'S STATEMENTS QUESTIONED.

Senator Smoot seems to have some secret method not known to the other senators of telling the prices of imported articles, including razors. Perhaps he learns from the Mormon missionaries who are well acquainted with the low prices of Europe. When Smoot says that a good razor can be purchased for ten cents in the European market he is not stating the fact. Smoot's statements will not stand investigation.

POLICE BOARD HEARING.

The end of the police board hearings is in sight for which the people of this city have a right to be thankful. It has been a farce from the beginning, and so we presume it will be to the end. It has served to show, however, that no set of public officials in any city could make a more earnest effort to follow the letter of the law in the discharge of their duties than did the present board of police. If the board be disturbed the change will probably be like that of the charity board—for the worse.

THE SITUATION IN FRANCE.

France is confronted with a situation that is very serious. The spirit of discontent, if not mutiny and rebellion, seems to be rife among the masses. The false doctrines of socialism have free play and with the institution of conscription either swept away or silenced the influences of socialism and anarchy will have an opportunity to do their work with comparatively little opposition. Perhaps the gravity of the situation is over-estimated, but it seems to be a grave danger for the republic.

PUT BACK THE CLOCK.

President Taft is interested in the question of more daylight so that the people may have more time after work to spend in recreation.

The National Daylight association of Cincinnati has brought the matter to his attention and begs the cooperation of the national government in a movement to adopt the English method of putting back the clock so as to utilize a couple of hours daylight more than we do at present each day.

It is proposed to put the clock back two hours from May 1 to October 1 and then bring the time up to the present arrangement. The effect would be to get two hours earlier to work and except with the irregular, as much earlier to bed.

It is an arrangement that would be doubly beneficial in hot weather as it would throw a considerable portion of the day's work into the cool of the morning and allow time after work for visiting beaches or places where it is easy to keep cool.

WHERE SMOOTH PAVING IS NEEDED.

Over a year ago we referred to a petition then before the city government for the smooth paving of Worthen street from Merrimack street to Market. There were good reasons for urging smooth paving then and the same reasons exist still. There is a stable on the street, and as the paving is of badly worn cobble stones, the condition of the street must be very unsanitary, to say the least, as well as being very uneven for driving purposes. That street should be paved at least as far as Market street for the safety, the health and the convenience of the public.

But before it be smooth paved the sewer from Merrimack to Market street must be lowered, inasmuch as the blocks in the vicinity including the Associate buildings are as badly off in some cases as were the buildings on Merrimack square before the sewer in that vicinity was lowered.

Where a sewer is not low enough to do its work every heavy rain will cause a backing up into the basements adjoining with the result that goods are damaged and disease germs spread about to the peril of those who reside in the vicinity.

This is but a small job; it is a public necessity as property owners suffer for lack of proper sewerage. We are not sure that the city is not liable for damage done by its sewers after the authorities have been repeatedly warned of the danger and the inadequacy of the sewer. The city can ill afford to lose, order the sewer lowered and then have that section of Worthen street smooth paved.

NORMAN MACK'S NEW MAGAZINE.

Norman Mack's new magazine, the National Monthly, is out, and if future monthlies measure up to the standard of the first it is safe to say that the Sun of Monthly will prove a real beacon light to the democracy [illegible]

Norman Mack is the editor of the Buffalo Daily Times, a democratic [illegible] publication. He is also editor of the Buffalo Sunday Times. In addition to printing these papers Mr. Mack prints for a large number of [illegible] as well as for his own, an illustrated magazine, a [illegible] of about 700,000 which requires vast mechanical facilities. [illegible] equipment, with the recognized ability and experience of Mr. Mack there is every reason to expect that the National magazine will be a [illegible] monthly able and up-to-date magazine, a reliable guide and [illegible] issues in general. Mr. Mack in his prospectus [illegible] not use his magazine to dictate candidates in either [illegible] but will stand for the strongest and best [illegible] The Democratic party has been greatly in need of [illegible] Bryan's Commoner does not answer the purpose [illegible] and Mr. Bryan has been a [illegible]

Mr. Mack's undertaking is welcomed success. He will aid [illegible] it be large in the path he has marked out in the [illegible] In the recent campaign the party was [illegible] for lack of support from a fair share of the newspapers of the country.

PRESIDENT ELIOT

Gives Up Place at Head of Harvard University

CAMBRIDGE, May 19.—Abbott Lawrence Lowell, who for the last ten years has been Eaton professor of the science of government at Harvard, assumed the presidency of the university today as the successor of Charles W. Eliot.

President Lowell took up the work of the direction of the university which President Eliot relinquished yesterday after forty years in office, without ceremony, the new head walking quietly to the president's desk on the second floor of University hall, where he plunged resolutely into a mass of correspondence.

Next October the university will formally inaugurate President Lowell. The only change today, however, was that President Lowell had charge of the work of directing the work of the different departments of the university in place of former President Eliot. It is expected that within a short time, possibly at commencement next month, the Alumni of Harvard will show its appreciation of Mr. Eliot by presenting him with a fund sufficient to enable him to live with every possible comfort the rest of his life. It is said that the fund already amounts to over $130,000. It is also expected that Harvard will confer the degree of LL.D. upon Mr. Eliot and probably make him a professor emeritus of some department.

COURT RESUMES

Judge Stevens on Bench Again Today

Judge Stevens resumed the bench in the supreme court this morning and the case of Wilder vs. Boston & Maine, an out-of-town case which was interrupted by His Honor's illness, was taken up and the medical witnesses for the plaintiff examined.

The case is that of Marie M. Wilder vs. Boston & Maine and her husband, George H. Wilder, vs. Boston & Maine, the wife suing for $20,000 and the husband for $10,000. Coakley and Sherman appear for the plaintiff and Trull and Wier for the defendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilder, who are residents of Somerville, in December, 1905, were passengers on a Boston & Maine train going from Springfield to Holyoke, when their train was run into by a freight train and both were injured, the wife's injuries being particularly severe.

The defendants admit their liability in the case and the case was heard on the question of damages. As there are about 20 witnesses for the plaintiff the case is likely to occupy another day at least.

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MONAHAN SHOT

During a Dispute in a Store

BOSTON, May 19.—William Monahan, 22, of 50 Sharon street, said to be a member of the Fellows street "Whyo Gang," was shot in the store of Harris Chilkowitch, 16 Northampton street, early last evening by the latter, during a dispute over a newspaper.

The brim of Monahan's hat saved his life, as it deflected the course of the bullet which, instead of entering the right temple, inflicted a surface wound.

Chilkowitch, who is 22 years old, is locked up at the East Dedham street station.

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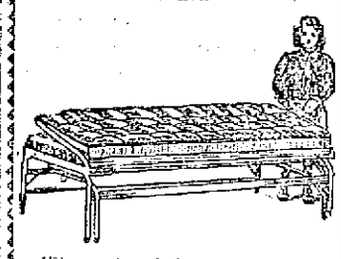
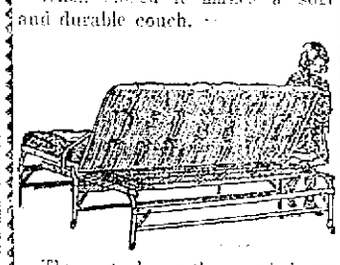
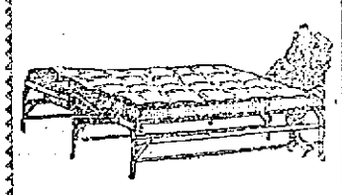


When closed it makes a soft and durable couch.



This cut shows the couch being transformed into a bed, giving a view of the National spring with which each bed is furnished.



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A good many in sizes to fit boys 3, 4, 5 and 6 years but a lot also up to 16. Most of them straight trousers, but say fifty pairs of knickers. Selling for 50c, 75c and $1.00, all Thursday ..... 29c a pair

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We Fit the Boy from Hat to Shoes

Neglige Shirts in new patterns of madras and percale and white madras ..... 50c and $1.00

Bicycles for Boys 8 years to 14. Entirely new collection of spring patterns—madras in white and colored designs. 25c, 50c and $1.00

Underwear—fine Jersey and balbriggan, short or long sleeve and knee drawers 25c, 50c

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THE GROOM'S SON

Officiated as His Best Man

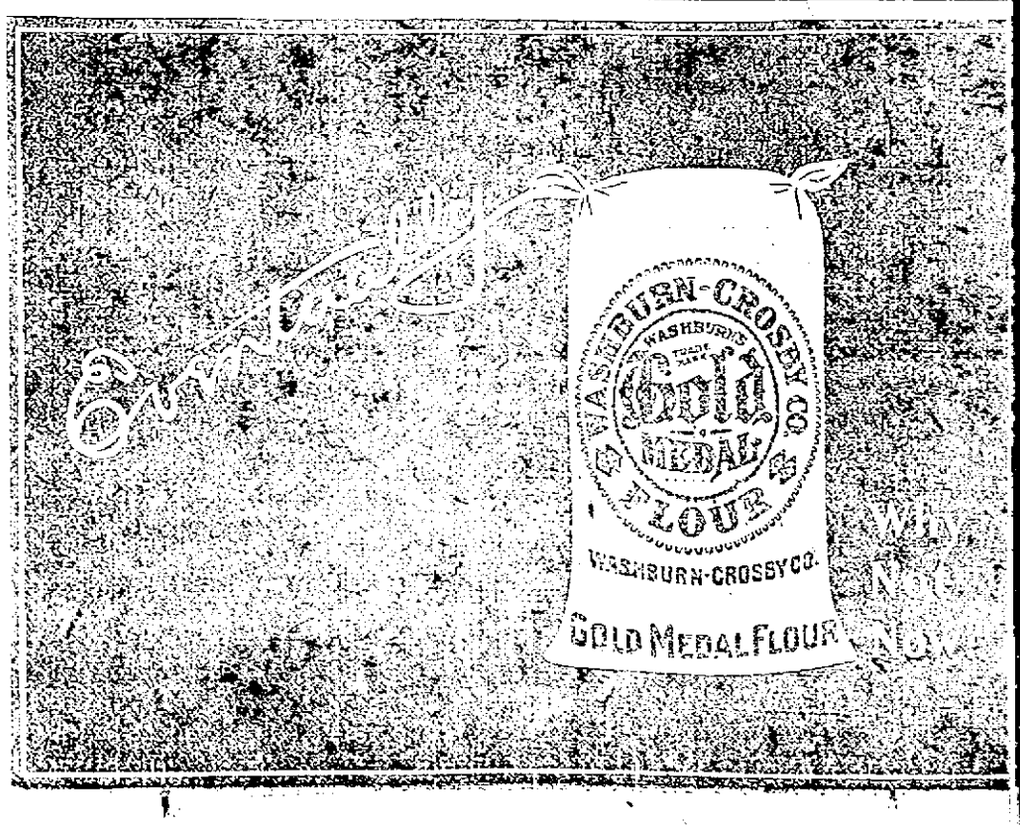
The marriage of Mr. Emery Cognac, manager of Marin's furniture store, to Miss Camille Guilmond, took place in the chapel of St. Joseph's rectory yesterday and had an unusual feature in the fact that the best man, Mr. Wilfred Cognac, aged 16 years, is a son of the groom by his first marriage, while the bridesmaid, Miss Georgiana Guilmond, a cousin of the bride, was a sister of Mr. Cognac's first wife. A nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Guellette, O. M. I. About a score of friends and relatives of the couple were present at the ceremony. The bride looked charming in an empire gown of white silk and lace, and carried roses. The bridesmaid wore pale blue silk and carried sweet peas.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. Charles Guilmond, 4 Butterfield street. Later in the forenoon Mr. and Mrs. Cognac left on a three weeks' tour to Montreal, Quebec and St. John. They will make their home in Lowell. They received many beautiful gifts, as both count a great many friends.

SUIT FOR $50,000

By J. J. Gray Again Connors Co.

John J. Gray, the well known Central street broker has brought suit against the Connors Construction company of this city for alleged breach of contract in the sum of $50,000, the attachment having been served at the office of the company this morning.



SENATOR ALDRICH OF RHODE ISLAND, LEADER OF FIGHT FOR HIGH TARIFF

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Senator Nelson W. Aldrich has surprised his colleagues by the wide range of his information on tariff schedules. Although the Rhode Island senator has long been famous for his intimate knowledge of national finances, his fellow members of the upper branch of congress had no idea that he was so thoroughly posted on the intricacies of tariff schedules. The tariff bill which bears the name of Representative Payne of New York and naturally has been labeled the Payne bill will go down in history as the Aldrich bill by reason of the fight that the senator has made for the restoration of schedules that the orginal measure sought to reduce. Senator Aldrich has met nearly every attack of the tariff reformers with exhaustive statistics to uphold his protection views. Even the maximum and minimum scale, which is baffling to the ordinary mortal, is readily elucidated by Senator Aldrich. His debate has been marked by the rarest skill, and his diplomacy has enabled him to restore many of the schedules that even a majority of his party leaders opposed.

GUILTY OF LARCENY

Man Was Ordered to Pay a Fine of $20

Floyd K. Myers, who also travels under the name of Martin J. Patterson and claims to be a real estate promoter, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Inspector John Walsh on a complaint charging him with the larceny of an overcoat and waistcoat valued at $15, the property of Frank Tryon, a former member of the Donna Seymour Stock company, which held the boards at Hathaway's theatre in this city for a couple of weeks.

In court this morning Myers entered a plea of guilty and was fined $20, to be paid within three days or be sentenced to jail for three months.

Myers and Tryon occupied different rooms in the Merrimac house and on Monday Myers took the clothing and sold it to a second hand clothing dealer in Middlesex street.

When Tryon was placed on the stand he said that he did not care about pressing the charge, but Judge Hadley promptly informed the complainant that he was not making the charge, that it was the police who were pressing the matter.

Myers, testifying in his own behalf, said he belonged in New York and was with a real estate company which sold suburban property in Long Island. He said that he had sold several pieces of property to local men. His reason for giving the name of Patterson, he said, was that the newspapers might not get his right name.

Rather Interesting Case

A confederate $5 bill played a rather important part in a case in police court this morning.

The case was that of William Lakos charged with the larceny of $4.50 and a package of cigarettes, the property of Demetrios Pantazis. Pantazis, who keeps a shoe shining parlor, testified that on the 20th of December last Lakos entered his place of business and purchasing a box of cigarettes offered him the crisp $5 note. He did not like the looks of the bill, but took it when Lakos said that it was a new series of money that was being issued by the treasury department. When he tried to work it off on some other person, however, he found that it was worthless.

Lakos denied that he had ever tendered the bill to the complainant. He was asked if he was willing to make restitution and upon his answered in the negative. He was held in $500 to be paid within three days or spend the next two months in jail.

Placed on File

George Tyrovel, pleaded guilty to assaulting Michael Fick, and the case was placed on file. Joseph O'Connor appeared for the defendant.

Simple Assault

John Deschenes pleaded guilty to assault and battery on Arthur Morin. The assault was a trivial one and a fine of $1 was imposed. Deschenes was represented by Daniel J. Donahue.

Defendant Dismissed

Costas Constantinople was charged with unlawfully removing baggage from a boarding-house conducted by George Zouvelos, but the case had not progressed very far when Judge Hadley ordered the defendant discharged, the government having shown no case.

Lectured by Court

Frank D. George, who entered complaint against his brother, Damino George, and failed to put in an appearance yesterday to press the matter, was brought into court this morning and severely lectured by the court. He said that some people told him that if he did not want to appear that the matter would be dropped. The rules of the court were explained to Frank and hereafter when he has any business in connection with the court he will undoubtedly put in an appearance.

Stole a Suit of Clothes

Napoleon Herie pleaded not guilty to a complaint charging him with the larceny of a coat, pants and vest and several other articles of wearing apparel, all the property of Manuel Miron. Edward D. McVey appeared for Herie.

Herie and Miron occupied a room at 62 Worthen street and when the latter went to the room about eleven o'clock Saturday night he found that his suit of clothes, shirts, underwear, suspenders and belt were missing. Herie was also missing.

Maurice Schuman, who keeps a second hand clothing store at Middlesex street, testified that Herie called at his place of business, said he was short of money and wanted to sell the clothes. Witness gave Herie $3.50 for the suit.

No defense was presented.

Herie was found guilty and sentenced to the Massachusetts Reformatory at Concord. Appealed. And was held under $500 bonds for his appearance before the superior court.

Disturbing the Peace

Henry Charette and George Shepard pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace and each was fined $5.

Heavy Sentence

Susan C. Waldron, a frequent visitor, who appeared much the worse as a result of the over indulgence in liquor, asked to be given just one more chance. She was sentenced to five months in jail and appealed.

Parole Men

Cornelius O'Hearn, a parole man from the state farm, will be returned to that institution.

"Give me a year in jail, but don't send me back to the state farm," said Cornelius Sullivan who is a parole man. He will have to go back to Bridgewater, however.

John Burchard who claims Manchester, N. H. as his home, was fined $5.

Patrick V. McCarthy was sentenced to the state farm.

STREET DEPT.

Supt. Putnam Pushing Street Work

The street department is cleaning up all side issues in order to get in shape for the smooth paving jobs that are staring it in the face. One gang of about 20 men is at work on the Oakland sewer, filling in the big trench that was left open there. This trench had to remain open until merchandise was voted for sewer construction.

Another gang is at work on the Aiken City sewer. This sewer takes in Plain and Quenet streets and the Boston road, and is about 900 feet long.

Other street department gangs are at work in Western street, filling in where the culvert was widened, and in Pawtucket, Sewer and Crawford streets, where preparations are being made for smooth paving, and a portion of Lawrence street is being repaved.

Agents representing street construction preparations are paying their respects to Lowell almost every day. The last to arrive was the representative of a preparation known as asphaltine and the fellow who tackled this proposition up and down and sideways is very anxious to send samples of the preparation for a trial. Like the representatives of all other preparations of the kind, he claims that it is the very thing for Lowell streets, cheap, durable, and guaranteed to last a lifetime. Of course, he will be back in a few weeks, when he will be ready to sign a contract for the use of his preparation on Lowell streets.

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GOT GOOD RATE

City Pays Small Price for Coal

BIG CONTRACT AWARDED MR. CAWLEY

Purchasing Agent Calls For Bids On Surface Stones and Paving Blocks—Smooth Paving Work to Begin June 1.

The contract for 2725 tons of hard coal for the lands and buildings department has been awarded Edward Cawley.

Lowell will pay less for coal this year than ever before in her history. Lowell made a much better rate this year than did Middlesex county. The bids for coal for this city and for the coal that will be used in county institutions in this vicinity closed the same day and Lowell bought cheaper than the county.

Purchasing Agent Mackenzie has just called for bids on surface stone and paving blocks for the streets that are to be paved including Middlesex street from Garnet street to the depot, Merrimack square and a portion of Bridge street.

Newell F. Putnam, superintendent of streets, said today that he expected to start the paving job in Middlesex street as early as the first of June. Mr. Putnam says that he will begin operations at Garnet street and work towards the depot. It would be impossible, he said, to tell when the Merrimack and Bridge street jobs will be reached.

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MANY MEETINGS

Committees Were Busy at City Hall

The committee on ordinances and legislation met last night. Among petitions considered was one that asked for the transfer of the care of all school yards and playgrounds in the city from the lands and buildings department to the park department.

Ald. Stevens stated that the park commissioners were desirous of accepting the care only of the Moody, Lincoln, Greenhalge, Riverside and Highland school grounds, and it was voted to recommend the ordinance with the amendment as suggested by the commission attached.

An ordinance asking for the establishment of a municipal free employment bureau was tabled on motion of Councilman Boudreau. The ordinance came from Mayor Brown.

An ordinance establishing the office of deputy of weights and measures, to be appointed by the mayor and aldermen was recommended. An ordinance asking for a regular tax of 10 cents each on all loads weighed, instead of having the price controlled by the weight, was recommended, as was also an ordinance asking that the street sales of papers be regulated by licensing the sellers, with the amendment attached that the return of 25 cents be made for the badge and license when it is turned over to the city.

Lands and Buildings

At a meeting of the committee on lands and buildings held last evening it was voted to recommend a loan of $4000, introduced by Councilman Spencer, for repairs and additions at the High school annex, Moody street, Green, Bartlett, Varnum, Cheever street and Lakeview avenue schools. The amount would also include the purchase of a small plot of land from the Lowell Baptist union to be added to the new fire house location.

Committee on Wires

The committee on wires met last night and voted leave to withdraw on petitions for pole locations in Waite, School, Ralph, Leverett streets and the Coburn school lot. Pole locations in Ware street were granted as were relocations in Westford, Chelmsford and Pine streets.

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MAY BE MURDER

Police to Investigate Man's Death

WEST RUTLAND, Vt., May 19.—Many of the elements entering into the complexion of an interesting murder mystery were noted last night in the case of Otto Sandstrom, a quarryman, whose body was found Friday morning lying in a foot of water near the car barn here. Although Dr. C. B. Ross, the town health officer, decided that the case was one of drowning and that an autopsy was not necessary, the state officials will today begin an investigation into the circumstances surrounding the young man's death. State's Attorney J. C. Jones of Rutland and Attorney General John C. Sargent of Ludlow will confer today regarding the advisability of exhuming the body, which has been buried. The interest which the authorities are taking in the case is due largely to the efforts of Miss Esther Anderson of New York, a cousin of the dead man, who came here for the funeral on Sunday, and was not satisfied with the verdict of "death by drowning." Undertaker C. H. Campbell, to whose rooms the body was taken, stated last night that a large swelling was found on the man's stomach, such as might have resulted from a kick or a blow, and could have caused death. He also said that in his opinion Dr. Ross did not extract a sufficient quantity of water from the man's stomach to substantiate the verdict of drowning.

Sandstrom, with his cousin Sanfro Anderson and another quarryman went to Castleton Thursday night. Sandstrom left the other two men and went home alone. He left a trolley car at Whipple Hollow about a mile from where his body was found. The conductor stated yesterday that he was not intoxicated. A boy, returning home that night, heard cries and moans, and in the morning found the body. The man's hat was found more than 100 yards from the pool, yesterday, and the sole and heel of one of his shoes was also found some distance away. These facts, together with other minor details led the investigators to the belief that a struggle occurred. Robbery as a motive is disproved by the finding of the man's watch and a small sum of money in his pockets.

Sandstrom is survived by four sisters, one of whom, Sinem Sandstrom, lives in New York.

SEC'Y. DICKINSON

ARRIVES IN THE MAYFLOWER AT HAVANA

HAVANA, May 19.—The United States converted yacht Mayflower arrived here last evening with the American secretary of war, Jacob M. Dickinson, aboard. Edwin V. Morgan, the American minister, James L. Rodgers, the American consul general, and Capt. Ryan immediately went aboard the Mayflower to pay their respects to the secretary.

A SENSATION

IN THE ALLEGED TOWN LOT FRAUD CASES

TULSA, Okla., May 19.—Sensational allegations concerning the official conduct of Sylvester R. Rush, special assistant to the attorney general, and U. S. District Attorney Gregg of the northern district of Oklahoma, were made in two petitions filed in the federal court here yesterday in connection with the Muskogee town lot fraud cases.

The petition is signed by nine members of the grand jury that was discharged on Saturday last by Judge Marshall upon the motion of District Attorney Gregg, who asserted that the jury had been subjected to improper influences. It refutes this charge and in turn makes allegation against Messrs. Gregg and Rush. It alleges misconduct before the jury, efforts to intimidate and coerce the jury to return indictments against Gov. Haskell and the other defendants, regardless of and contrary to proof presented, and petitions the court to investigate the jurors' allegations.

The defendants also filed a response to the motion of District Attorney Gregg disputing the charges of improper influence. This response alleges that Gregg has used the Tulsa World of which he is stated to be part owner, to mould sentiment, and to prejudice the court and grand jury against the defendants; that he stated that he was after Haskell and associates and that no one else would be prosecuted; that he stated that he was a personal enemy of William T. Hutchings and would send him to the penitentiary at all hazards; that Gregg's partners in the Tulsa World had stated to a prominent Tulsa man that it was a political prosecution started by William R. Hearst and Theodore Roosevelt against Gov. Haskell.

YESTERDAY AT AUCTION

Yesterday afternoon James Warner as commissioner for the estate of Jacob Ames sold, through J. E. Conant & Co., the tenement property numbered 20-22 Fifth street, to Alice Needham, for $2200; it was assessed for $3260. Immediately following this sale the dwelling house property numbered 31 West Fifth street was sold to E. P. McKeon, for $3350; it was assessed for $3450. There was not the slightest lack of interest in either sale. Both properties were sold at the appointed minute. There were more than half a dozen purchasers for each lot, but neither lot was sold until after much active competition.

BIG FRESH AIR CAMP

ATHOL, May 19.—For the benefit of children from the crowded tenement districts of Boston, there will be conducted here during the coming summer the largest fresh air camp in the world. The project is being furthered by the Morgan memorial of Boston.

In connection with the camp there will be conducted a fresh air farm which will be looked to for nearly all the supplies of food to be used at the camp. An isolation camp, with trained nurses in charge, will also be maintained to guard against any outbreak of disease. It is planned to give the campers an opportunity to assist the work by conducting a rug-making industry.

EASTERN LEAGUE MEETING

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 19.—A meeting of Eastern league club owners was held here last night to modify the rule adopted last winter limiting club membership to fifteen after May 15. Some of the clubs found it impossible to comply with the rules. It was finally agreed, after four hours' debate, that each club should be allowed 16 able-bodied men, that is, that bona fide illness or accident to a player or players would be considered sufficient excuse for a corresponding increase in the numerical playing strength with salary limit extension to correspond. President O'Brien of the American association was called on the long distance telephone at Milwaukee and acquiesced in the action taken.

Hair Humbugs

How many readers of this paper have been humbugged with either worthless or dangerous preparations for the hair? How many of you have one more hair now than you had before you used them? There is just one thing needed in treating the hair more than any other thing, and that is *cleanliness*. You don't wash out of your scalp and hair the dandruff, dirt, dust and disease germs as fast as they appear. Scales form on your head, the pores become clogged, and the first thing you know the hair falls out. Sooner or later baldness is bound to result. Plain soap won't do, because plain soap leaves your hair and scalp dry, and that is bad. Use Birt's Head Wash, and your head will *feel* cleaner and *be* cleaner than ever before in your life. Your hair will be silky and lustrous, and you will wonder what's in Birt's Head Wash to make it do so much good. And the best of it is we tell you. Here are the ingredients: Refined Soap, Glycerin, White of Eggs, Cochin Cocoanut Oil and Salicylic Acid. Ask your doctor what he thinks of this formula. Price 50 cents.

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SPRECKELS HEARD

HE TESTIFIED IN CASE AGAINST PRES. CALHOUN

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Interest in the trial of Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railroads, revived to an extraordinary extent yesterday because of the appearance on the witness stand of Rudolph Spreckels, financial backer of the graft prosecution.

On cross-examination Mr. Spreckels said Ruef had visited his office three times between 1901 and 1906.

"I recollect in particular," he said, "one interview with Ruef that called to my attention the need of an investigation. Ruef came to my office and suggested that I get up a syndicate to bid on municipal bonds about to be issued. He promised that bids would be succeeded by a strike. I was horrified by the suggestion.

"Ruef assured me that the bid of the syndicate would be accepted," said Mr. Spreckels, "and he would guarantee that we would not have to bid above par for the bonds. I asked him how this could be done and he said 'that's a simple matter. You know my connection with the labor union people. When the bids are about to be submitted we will have the biggest strike this town ever saw. I will tie up everything including the street railways. Then I'd like to see any of your capitalistic friends, except those in on the know, submit bids for these bonds.'

"I asked Ruef if he really intended for the sake of making money, to bring on a strike that might result in bloodshed, and he said he was only joking. But his face flushed and he withdrew from my office."

CATHEDRAL STONES CRUMBLING

COLOGNE, May 19.—The stones of Cologne cathedral are crumbling rapidly, and repairs costing millions and requiring years are necessary to save the famous edifice, according to a report by the architect, who was appointed to examine the structure. There is, however, no immediate danger to the structure.

GOT A DIAMOND

FIRST BASEMAN COX REMEMBERED BY REVERE FRIENDS

Chris Cox, first baseman of the Lowell team, was presented with a diamond when he went to bat in Lynn Monday. The stone was the gift of friends in Revere.

GEORGE MEREDITH

GOT FIRST REWARD AND CREDIT FROM AMERICA

LONDON, May 19.—The British public and press are making ample atonement on the death of the foremost English novelist, for any neglect he suffered during his lifetime. Not even the death of Swinburne, called out such universal warm tributes of admiration and affection as that of George Meredith. The death of the novelist is felt as a more intimate personal loss than that of the poet.

The body lies in a simple bedroom of the modest cottage at Boxhill, which had been his home for the past forty years. In the folded arms is a garland of roses, the gift of his two young granddaughters, while on either side of the narrow bed are sprigs of white bean and other favorite flowers, from the garden and the hillside that he loved, placed there by his daughter.

The novelist was conscious practically until the end which he knew was approaching.

According to an interview, his daughter, Mrs. Sturgis, said that so far as she knows her father left no instructions with regard to the disposition of his body, but he had often expressed a wish to be cremated. His end, she said, was quite peaceful and due entirely to his advanced age, but was hastened by a cold which he contracted a few days ago.

With regard to the rumors that Mr. Meredith had been engaged on a work for posthumous publication, Mrs. Sturgis said there was no foundation for the report. She believes that he left no manuscripts of any importance, having given up writing during the last decade. She admits that he felt keenly the long public neglect of his writing. He forgave but never forgot it. He was always glad, however, to remember that it was America that first gave him due reward and credit.

Premier Asquith, Lord Morely, Whitelaw Reid, the American ambassador, and many others have sent messages of condolence. J. M. Barrie came in person to the house to express his sympathy.

According to the present arrangements, the body will be cremated and the ashes buried at Dorking, where his wife's body is interred, on Saturday. Lord Morely, War Secretary Hadlane, J. M. Barrie and many other prominent men will attend the funeral service.

HAS SPINAL MENINGITIS

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 19.—Charles E. Hughes, Jr., son of Governor Hughes of New York, a senior at Brown university, was taken to the Rhode Island hospital late yesterday afternoon suffering from a severe attack of cerebro spinal meningitis. Governor Hughes was notified of the condition of his son as soon as the young man had been removed to the hospital. Over-study is supposed to have brought on the trouble.

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Bargainland Items

Ladies' and Misses' Raincoats, made of rubberized materials. Regular $3.95 and $4.98 values at ..... $2.39--$2.98

Ladies' Gingham Skirts in blue and white stripes. Worth 29c, at 21c

Infants' Bonnets made of silk, in white, pink and blue. Regular value 75c and 98c, at 39c

Extra Values in Kimonas

Long Crepe Kimonas in Japanese, pink, lavender and blue colors, at $1.95

Long Crepe Kimonas in pink, lavender, blue and red. Regular value $1.25, at 95c

Short Kimonas in a variety of colors. Regular value 98c, at 47c

Ladies' Gingham Aprons, full size. Worth 50c, at 39c

Ladies' Bretelle Aprons. Worth 50c, at 39c

Ladies' Gingham Aprons. Worth 19c, at 10c

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Swift's Pride Soap

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Ladies' Dotted Swiss Aprons. Worth 25c, at 19c

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Infants' Short White Dresses, made of Batiste, at 47c

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Children's Jumper and Dutch Collar Dresses, made of gingham and chambray, at 95c

Children's Plain and Russian Style Dresses, made of gingham and chambray, at 47c

Children's Dresses, made good cotton print, at 24c

Children's Straw Hats, broad brim, fancy bands, at 19c

Boys' Straw Hats, made of split straw, at 19c

Boys' Beach Hats, made in blue, tan, white and green, at 15c

Boys' Wash Suits, 3 to 8 years, made in sailor and Russian styles, all colors. Worth $1, $1.25, $1.50, at 49c

Great Bargains at our HURRY UP SALE. Starts Friday Morning

COIFFURES of THE MOMENT

Artistic Transformations, Classic Curls, Puffs and Coils Demanded by the Present Styles of Hairdressing & Smart Ornaments

THE smart hats of the season cannot be successfully worn unless the coiffure is built in accordance with their demands. And in the hairdressing styles of the moment one idea holds, and every hat demands it—the hair must be flat in front, wide at the sides and full at the back. The correct arrangement adopted by most modish women has the hair brushed up smoothly from the nape of the neck to the Psyche knot, which is aggressive or moderate in size as the wearer elects. But there is no bulging out or sagging down. It is a clean Grecian sweep, usually held in place by a wide curved barrette.

To bring about this much to be desired effect at the back of the head there is a new coiffure appliance. It is a dome shaped frame and supports the puffs, curls and braids; college girl slang would call it the "wad." This frame is a simple contrivance with a hole in the center and is pinned on securely at the back of the head. Through this hole the back hair is threaded, and over it are placed puffs, curls, coils, etc. In a moment of sartorial abstraction this frame might be mistaken for a fly trap, but the summer girl will be more easily lured into it than the wily household pest. This cunning device is the inspiration of Andre Hugo, the creator of Parisian coiffure styles, and it is made of stiff but lightweight and porous cloth. These frames come in all tones, harmonizing with the natural and unnatural shades of hair, and they are much more hygienic than the scalp heating rat.

This French artist is also responsible for the twin pompadour frames that provide for the hair being parted in the center of the head, and they make it easy to puff the hair out in soft, attractive rolls at the temples and ears. When the hair is scanty and grows unbecomingly it is possible to beat Nature at her own game by veiling the frame with naturally curly hair. There is nothing the least bit "false" or heavy looking about these frames so treated, and in summer when the hair is apt to be unmanageable a transformation of this sort will be found advantageous not only to one's appearance, but to one's disposition. For is there anything more conducive to bad temper than stringy, straight locks that hang about one's face after the depressing manner of a fing at half mast? When the knot has been arranged in the prevailing mode much latitude may be given the arrangement of the hair in front, which may be of comparatively natural shape. Only one point is insisted upon—the hair must not only be wavy and fluffy, but smooth and glossy. The parted pompadour, if one may be permitted to so dignify the small roll over the temples, is the mode of the moment. It stands out very little from the face and is slightly waved, more often at home than on the irons of the hairdresser. The parting may be in the center or at the left side, with the hair brushed away from it, in man fashion. At the right side the part sweeps down over the brow and across the temples in a large rippling wave; the left side goes over the ear and is tucked into the small Psyche knot that stands straight out from the head.

Indeed, as I have said before, there never was a time when more importance was attached to the wearing of one's hair than today, and the woman who purchases a hat of the extreme type and expects it to look modish with her hair done in any fashion at all will be speedily disillusionized after an inspection in her mirror. Even the effect of a smart frock may be ruined unless the hair of the wearer is fixed according to the decrees of the mode. That this Greek style is trying to a number of faces there is not the slightest doubt, but if Nature has blessed one with an Hellenic cast of countenance all is well. However, to a plain woman, lacking regular features, this style is softening and illusive; the only type of femininity for whom it has any real terrors is the woman with heavy, square features, and even she can adopt the style to her needs by modifying it. Should the forehead be too high for beauty it may be softened with a fluffy little fringe worn straight across the dome of thought. But where it is possible parting the hair in the middle of the forehead or at one side should be adopted.

In freak hairdressing styles there is a revival of an old fancy—ear blinkers—a style reminiscent of the daguerreotypes of about 1840, a period, according to our present ideas, not modistically alluring. These ear blinkers are merely long braids of hair coiled like a bird's nest over the ears, which they completely cover.

The new hair ornaments are charming, and the Greek influence is felt in most of the smartest designs. Filets are particularly lovely in their new phases, and an exquisite example in the modern Greek expression is shown in one of the illustrations. It is of tortoise shell in a daisy design picked out with tiny turquoises and pearls. There is a barrette to match. Coronet combs are most becoming adornments, and in old gold filigree patterns they are most attractive. There are endless designs in ornamental hairpins, and sets of these pins carried out in tortoise shell overlaid with gold or silver are very popular. Young girls still cling to ribbon snoods and filets for their hair. There is a fad for white evening frocks, with an original touch of color introduced only in the coiffure. I recall a charming frock of white linen, Irish point and filet lace worn recently by a pretty girl at a smart reception. Her hair was ornamented with three bands composed of eucalyptus berries in their natural coloring, connected at the back with a horseshoe of eucalyptus leaves surrounding the knot. It was a pretty scheme, this white dress with the novel green arrangement of berries in the blond hair.

CATHERINE TALBOT.

New York.

CORONET COMB OF GOLD FILIGREE

SET OF NEW HAIRPINS

JEWELED TORTOISE SHELL FILET AND BARETTE

THE GRIND IN WOMAN'S WORK

Worry and Lack of System Make the Burden Heavy—Benefits From Strolling In the Spring

WOMEN are extremists. That's one trouble with them. There are others, but this will do for today. When a woman is idle she's the idlest thing on earth. The way she can kill time beats anything of which men have any conception. But when she works—ah, then, my friends, look out or you'll get run over!

I will give men credit for being pretty well balanced creatures. That's one reason why I like them. However, that is neither here nor there.

A man works hard—yes, but there is a limit to his working. He washes up, puts on his happy harness and goes to dinner with friends. After that he is apt to stay out all hours, but next morning finds him at the office as fresh as a daisy, ready for another day's work. In other words, the masculine toiler arranges his business so that it doesn't interfere with his pleasure. Once he has left the office he quits worrying about it, and he lets each day take care of itself.

But how does woman work? I hate to tell you. If I were a man married to a wife wage earner I'd beat her to death—she would exasperate me so.

Woman has so little sense of humor that she lives and breathes and thinks only one thing—her work. Every one has to hear about it. She goes to bed early that she may get up early in the morning to work. She lies in bed Sunday in order that she may have more strength to work on Monday. It's one grind, grind, grind! Man chops things short; woman is always muddled up in them. The old proverb, "Man's work is from sun to sun; woman's work is never done," is true, because that's woman's nature. She putters and worries and fusses and lives in a narrow atmosphere. Whether it is because her brain doesn't work so quickly as a man's or because she doesn't systematize or because she is really a creature of one idea, and it's either work or play with her, I don't know. But, take my word for it, the woman who works is, as a rule, just a grind. She hasn't mastered the masculine way. It takes men to know how to spare themselves and how to get the most out of life. They have the secret of good balance.

I am not opposed to worry, but it must be done at the right time. The woman who has learned how to cast her troubles from her at mealtime and during her sleeping hours is making fine progress.

But the woman who never worries at all, my friends, has an awful punishment—she becomes fat.

It isn't what you eat that makes you plump or otherwise. Some people with the most prodigious appetites are as thin as rails, while the less some poor creatures eat the plumper they seem to grow. No; it's what you absorb, what you don't use up and worry off or work off. The woman who has a lot on her mind never loses her waist line. On the other hand, you never saw a fat woman yet who was much disturbed over anything, not even over her surplus weight. She simply can't get in that frame of mind. She is too good natured and comfortable. That's the whole secret. We are rapidly coming to that time of the year when walking trips are in favor. No woman who has not tried this kind of outing has any idea what she misses.

I know two girls who take a week's tramp every spring. They dress simply and comfortably in old tailor mades, worn with dark silk or woolen blouses. They leave off their corsets and wear old and comfortable shoes. Over each girl's shoulder is fastened a strap, and this holds a small oilskin bag containing the bare necessities, such as a comb, a couple of collars and handkerchiefs. It is wonderful how little one can get along with when one tries.

They stop at farmhouses for their noon meal, and the night is usually spent in some old fashioned inn. In this manner they have explored very interesting bits of country and added a great deal to their health, as well as their knowledge of human nature. It seems to me this is an ideal way of celebrating the springtime.

I am told that women's clubs do a lot of good, but I'm unconvinced. That they do some good no one will deny, but that is all out of proportion to the time they waste. As for the fights they engender, the least said the better.

I can tell a typical clubwoman a mile off by her suspicious or aggressive expression. The clubwoman is not unlike the politician. She juggles her fellow men, but there's no sense in her doing so, because there is no object. Besides, women were never meant to play politics; they bear a grudge too long.

In the May number of the Ladies' Home Journal there is an arraignment of women's clubs. It is so pertinent that I want to call your attention to it. In one town where women's clubs flourished these conditions prevailed: The schoolhouses had notoriously poor ventilation. The worst kind of billboards disgraced the streets. There was no shrubbery to speak of around the public buildings. Push-cart stands, covered with dust, sold candies and stale fruit to children. Filthy fountain cups were used everywhere. A band of the worst young vandals one can imagine in the way of children devastated the town. No wonder their mothers had no time to attend to them!

Now, this may be overdrawn, but it seems to me there's a great deal of truth in it.

The one greatest good the woman's club is doing seems to be to afford a fighting ground for old ladies who otherwise would do it at home.

That is noble, but not sufficient.

Kate Clyde

New York.

FOR SUMMER DAYS.

Gray linen in the new French hand woven variety makes this natty little suit. Bands of gray soutached filet net trim the coat, and the skirt is cut in an odd fashion suggestive of the tunic.

WILL FREAK MILLINERY LIVE?

Plumes are playing a larger part in the spring hat than was at first anticipated, possibly because they are such good "fillers" and they soften the hard outlines of the straw hat. But flowers and foliage, fruits and vegetables are rampant, trailing over every inch of outside space. Some that one meets on the streets look for all the world like replicas of Liberty bells swathed in a trailing glory of vines and flowers. Others look like veritable peach baskets with choice fruits and vegetables oozing through the slats in a final effort to get just one more chance at the sunshine and one more blush upon the cheek.

Surely these things will not live. It would suggest that every day is Memorial day and that the feminine portion of humanity is in procession for the cemetery, carrying the floral designs on their heads. And it's no use for a woman to strive for brilliant soft eyes and a tiptilted chin if she is to be weighted down with the whole output of the flora and fauna kingdoms, to say nothing of a toppling framework of false hair to hold these creations steady against the elements.

THE LACEMAKING INDUSTRY.

The success that has attended the revival of the lacemaking industry in Ireland has led to a similar movement in parts of England, notably in Malmesbury, where a class of over fifty has been working industriously during the past winter. This revival of lacemaking is credited to the interest and efforts of an American—the Countess of Suffolk, formerly Miss Daisy Leiter.

THE CREED OF MISS UP TO DATE

Clothes are the creed of sartorial believers.

Accessories of the toilet are particeps criminis to vanity.

Teach me the way of the Psyche knot, ye wise ones.

Hearken attentively unto Dame Fashion and she'll do you out of your last dollar.

Earnestly "bant" and the sheath skirt's your oyster.

Righteousness and mercy are vouchsafed her who "assists nature" undiscoverably.

I believe in MM. Paquin, Doucet, Worth and all the company of dressmaking grafters.

Now is the discontent of the pudgy fingered woman made glorious by the directoire digit expansion policy of Mrs. James Brown Potter.

Even unto the twentieth century woman shall be given the sacred scarab of Egypt as an amulet.

CASSEROLE COOKERY

CASSEROLE cookery is a term which has grown up of late years with the increasing popularity of the French fireproof earthenware utensils and signifies dishes cooked and served in the same earthenware pan, though the French word is the generic name for a saucepan.

The casserole is adapted for almost every kind of cookery, and its use makes for economy in time and labor. It is economical in money also, for materials too tough for ordinary cooking become perfectly tender, nutritious and tempting when cooked in this way.

Fireproof ware is inexpensive, and if the following suggestions are acted upon it is more economical than the ordinary pots and pans:

Never put a casserole down roughly on a metal surface, especially if it is full or partly full. Never leave it empty on the fire or it is bound to crack. When in use for the first tim half fill it with warm water, place i on a slow fire and gradually increas the heat; in fact, in cooking with casserole it is always advisable to be gin with gentle heat and gradually in crease this, even in the preliminar frying. So important has casserol cookery become that plated stand have been introduced for handing roun the marmites, casseroles of variou sizes, gratin dishes, souffle and rama kin cases, etc. As these dishes ar glazed inside it is the easiest thing i the world to wash them, for there ar no crevices in which dirt can possibl remain.

Pot au Feu—Take four to fiv pounds of fresh beef, tie it neatly int shape and put it into a soup pot o marmite with a piece of butter th size of a hazel nut and just fry i lightly, then add three quarts of wate a dessertspoonful of salt, two ba leaves and twelve peppercorns, tyin the bay leaves and peppercorns up in muslin bag; bring this all very gentl just to the boil, but just before i actually reaches boiling point throw i a spoonful of cold water to check th boil and bring the scum to the surface remove this and repeat the proces two or three times till no more scum rises; then draw the pan to one sid and simmer gently for three or fou hours. After it has been cooking fo about an hour add three or four leeks a bunch of parsley, two sliced carrot and half a head of celery, putting thes vegetables also into a muslin bag When cooked, lift out the meat an vegetables, remove any fat there ma be and serve in the pot in which i was cooked. If the vegetables are no put into a bag the soup will have t be strained.

Fowl Pot Roast.—Truss the fowl a for roasting, placing the liver, with piece of butter and seasoning to taste inside the bird; then place it breas downward in a casserole with half pint of water and some butter or drip ping and a little bacon, cover and leav the bird to cook gently for an hour then turn it, add more fat or drippin and a wineglassful of wine, cover wit a buttered paper, close down an place the casserole in the oven wit top and bottom heat and let it cool till the bird is nicely browned. Lif out the bird, joint it neatly, skim of all the fat from the gravy, put bac the fowl, heat it all up and serve.

Hints From Here and There

DAINTY alms bags can be made at little cost by any girl who knows how to crochet. For a fairly good sized bag a motif in Irish crochet must be purchased and then a paper pattern of the bag cut. Its shape is usually straight across the top and rounded on the bottom.

The motif is basted down to the paper in the center, and picot stitch is used until the paper is covered.

A piece the same size is worked for the back of the bag and may be entirely in picot stitch. The two pieces are sewed together, leaving an opening at the top, and all edges are furnished with a narrow crochet lace. The bag should be lined with soft silk in a delicate shade, and ribbons for drawing up will be run through an inch or so below the top.

SUGGESTIONS IN PACKING.

Every delicate garment should be wrapped separately.

For this towels or sheets of tissue paper will serve, but they should be pinned into place.

Folds of newspapers should be placed between the layers of the more perishable things.

The newspaper is very good, because it is so unyielding that wrinkles and bumps cannot dent it enough to mark the fabrics beneath.

It is useless to try and keep all the heavy things at the bottom, the light ones at the top. The trunk will probably be stood on end or upside down half the time.

Newspapers are better than anything else for stuffing out bows and sleeves.

Tie in bottle corks well and put the bottles in the middle of compartments and if packed solidly they will carry all around the world.

WAY TO CLEAN A LACE WAIST.

Here is a recently discovered way to clean a white lace waist that is equal to any dry cleansing process ever tried and one that requires an outlay of only a few cents instead of the dollars usually needed to make a soiled lace waist again presentable. This is nothing more than a simple cake of magnesia. Rub the magnesia thoroughly over the garment in question, paying extra attention to the more soiled places, roll it in a cloth and lay it away for several days, then shake it lightly to dislodge any of the chalky substance that may cling to it, and you will behold a metamorphosed waist that will delight your eyes with its freshness.

Grease and dirt may also be removed from silk and woolen clothes by the use of magnesia. Scrape a quantity upon the spot, cover with brown paper and place a hot flatiron over it. The heat of the iron acts upon the magnesia in the same way that it does upon the French chalk our grandmothers used to employ for the same purpose, and when the iron and the paper are removed and the magnesia brushed off the offending spot will have disappeared.

PARIS AND THE HANDKERCHIEF.

In Paris there is a positive craze for the handkerchief.

It appears on all occasions as a dress accessory.

In the new coat suits pockets are expressly designated for it.

The so called "coat handkerchief" is a necessity of the smart walking suit.

The style most favored is white, but it has a bright colored border, and in one corner is a monogram of the same color or a delicate flower.

The color of the border should match either the suit or the other accessories.

There is a fad for having the border of one color and the tiny flower of another—for example, a pink border with a pinkish lavender flower, a green border with a blue forgetmenot.

FOR THE SUMMER WEDDING.

Rice filled white satin slippers are the prettiest means of handling both the lucky rice to throw at the bride and the "old shoe" to throw after her. The slippers come in different sizes (at different cost in proportion, of course), large enough for a small bride, but not large enough to be ugly, and in the children's size. They are filled with rice, which is kept in place by a bit of gauze, fastened around the top of each slipper and drawn up with a little ribbon at the top, bag fashion. One can prepare one's own slippers for the wedding festivities, and even large dolls' slippers can be used and hold a medicum of rice, perhaps more acceptable to the bride. The rice is first thrown, and as the carriage drives off the empty slippers are sent after.

SHE EARNS $10,000 A YEAR

Miss Katherine Giles, the Cotto Queen of Wall Street.

A NEW YORK business woman ha proved to masculine satisfactio that she can keep a secret. Thi rara avis is Miss Katherine Giles, th cotton statistician, who in her com paratively short financial career ha frequently bucked up against the gov ernment reports and has come out wit flying color, beating men who hav grown old in the business at their ow game. In Wall street this young wo man is known respectively as the cot ton queen and as the sphinx. Th sobriquet was given to her six year ago, on that memorable Dec. 5 whe her report of the cotton crop, differ ing from the government returns b a large percentage, turned the tid of the cotton market and increase cotton values by some $5,000,000.

The likening of this pretty an capable young business woman to th sphinx comes from her inscrutabl manner when anything connected wit the cotton market is the subject o discussion; never by word or look doe she indicate in the slightest degree an of the secrets for a knowledge o which some men would pay goo round sums to possess

It is estimated that between $25,00 and $30,000 is annually spent by th government in getting a line on th cotton crop from which to compile it annual report, but in this report Mis Giles thinks that there are many mistakes. Her system of getting at th extent and condition of the crop is ac complished by sending out return postal cards to the big cotton grower of the south. Among the twelve state that grow cotton she annually distributes 25,000 postal cards, the returns from which are tabulated, the information carefully weighed and balanced and an unbiased conclusion as to th state of the crops arrived at. She then sends out bulletins indicating the condition of the market to her customers

Miss Giles attributes her business success to the fact that she never speculates, which exciting game has been the Waterloo of more than one statistician. To quote her own words: "If one speculates it is only human nature to be biased in the direction in which you want the market to go. Whether you win or lose you forfeit the confidence of your clients." Miss Giles began her business life as an assistant in the office of a cotton statistician in Wall street at a salary of $8 a week; now she is one of the very few women who by their own efforts are earning an income of $10,000 a year.

MISS KATHERINE GILES.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.46	6.60	6.30	7.29
a6.27	7.41	7.55	8.55
a6.44	7.55	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.35
7.01	8.30	10.00	10.37
7.22	8.05	10.21	11.34
b7.31	8.50	11.35	12.06
7.44	8.35	12.00	12.66
8.59	9.40	1.00	1.37
b9.27	10.25	2.00	3.02
9.38	10.10	3.00	3.37
10.45	11.40	b3.51	5.02
11.38	12.20	z4.14	5.37
12.12	1.00	5.00	6.33
1.46	2.30	b5.21	6.53
2.41	3.33	5.38	6.23
3.57	4.40	b5.51	7.05
4.26	5.30	z6.1.	7.30
5.20	6.15	7.30	8.05
6.10	7.10	8.20	9.02
9.28	[illegible]	10.30	11.34
7.52	8.35	11.20	12.16

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	7.55	z7.00	8.10
8.04	8.65	8.25	10.35
9.50	10.50	10.55	11.52
10.50	11.55	11.50	12.53
12.00	1.05	2.15	3.20
3.10	4.11	3.30	4.30
4.23	5.25	4.58	5.56
5.06	6.12	6.02	7.03
7.00	8.00	6.35	7.45
9.35	10.38	9.35	10.31
		*11.25	12.21

* Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
e Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.24	8.00	9.05
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	6.00	2.15	3.23
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.40
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.35
		8.40	9.42

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

5.49	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.57
8.45	10.49	11.30	12.07
9.20	10.15	1.00	1.57
10.35	11.35	5.00	6.02
2.25	3.27	7.30	8.08
5.15	6.00	8.30	9.08
6.28	7.30	9.00	10.02
7.52	8.55	10.20	11.35

LOCAL NEWS

First-class work. Tobin's Printery.

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Dr. Walker, dentist, Central block.

Order your coal now at Mullin's, 953 Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

David P. Moloney of Whipple street has gone to Waterbury, Vt., for the summer.

Teeth extracted without pain by the Obtundine system of painless dentistry. Dr. Gagnon, 468 Merrimack st.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Gregoire have returned from New York where they went to select summer millinery.

Consult the advertisement on the first page for rate of interest paid at the Middlesex Co-operative bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Durgin of 8 Trenton Street, Charlestown, both formerly of Lowell, are rejoicing over the arrival of a son.

For reliable shrubs and trees, and skilled workmen to care for your garden, call up McManmon, Florist, 6 Prescott street.

Miss Lottie E. Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard, of 20 Third street, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. H. Dana of New York City.

Mr. John J. Dobson, formerly of this city, now of Los Angeles, Cal., representing "The Freemason," a magazine devoted to masonry is in town visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Cora Cossette, formerly a Lowell girl, and a sister of Mrs. Frank Brogan, Mrs. Emile Provost and Mr. M. J. Cossette of this city, recently took the veil at the convent of the Ursulines at Three Rivers, Que. She will be known as Sister St. Marie Jeanne d'Arc. She is one of four sisters who have entered the convent.

ROOMS TO LET

A suite of three nice rooms in the Harrington Building, 52 Central street, over T. C. Lee & Co.'s insurance offices especially adapted for dress-making parlors or other light business. Rent very reasonable to responsible parties. For particulars inquire at The Sun office.

Nature's Remedies for Disease.

Nature provides more effective remedies in the roots and herbs of the field than were ever produced from drugs.

Thirty years ago, Lydia E. Pinkham of Lynn, Mass., discovered and gave to the women of the world a remedy made from roots and herbs, which has proved more efficacious in curing women's diseases than any other medicine the world has ever known, and today Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is looked upon everywhere as the standard remedy for women's ills.

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Estimates Cheerfully Given

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MAY FESTIVAL

IN AID OF THE

DAY NURSERY

Associate Hall, May 20, 21, 22.

THURSDAY NIGHT—Eighty children will appear in an entrancing program of artistic dances, songs and other specialties.

FRIDAY NIGHT—A fascinating bill of National Dances and High Class Vaudeville.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON—Children's Vaudeville, followed by general dancing.

SATURDAY NIGHT—Drill by High School girls followed by ball conducted by officers of the High school regiment.

THE BAZAAR will offer 10 attractive tables. General dancing each night. Every ticket bought will help a worthy charity greatly in need of funds. Admission 25c, Children 15c.

THEATRE VOYONS

THE GREATEST MUSICAL FEATURES

TEN CENTS—THAT'S ALL

ACADEMY

The Big Picture Show

PICTURES—SONGS—VIEWS

Shows daily, 2 to 5, 7 to 10.30. Continuous show Saturday. Admission 5 cents including a good seat. Reserved seats 5 cents extra.

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FOR FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS. NONE BUT THE BEST OF EVERYTHING IN THE FRUIT AND CONFECTIONERY LINE. OURS ARE ALL CAREFULLY SELECTED AND YOU CAN ALWAYS GET THE FINEST OF EVERYTHING IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS, NUTS, CANDIES AND SODA.

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LOWELL, WHO HAS MANY SONS EDUCATED UNDER DR. ELIOT, JOINS OLD HARVARD IN WISHING THE FAMOUS EDUCATOR "GOOD BYE AND GOOD LUCK"

PROBATE COURT

TWO SHORT SESSIONS HELD HERE YESTERDAY

At the contested session of the probate court, yesterday, Judge McIntyre presiding, the case of Andrew Livingston for the appointment of a guardian for Mary Sherburne was heard. Petitioner and his granddaughter were heard. John J. Pickman appeared for petitioner. Action was deferred. About six weeks ago Mrs. Sherburne-Murkland, mother of Mary Sherburne, resigned her guardianship, following a hearing.

In the probate court, uncontested session, Judge Lawton sitting, the following wills were presented: John Follis, Hanson W. Allen, Joseph Cossette, Lucy T. Poore and Eliza F. Lynds, all of Lowell. Administration was granted in the wills of Ezra Clark and Michael Looney both of Lowell.

Benhall's Wine of Olives

has more nutriment in it than any other food known. If you are nervous, thin, pale, tired, or suffer from dyspepsia, if your blood is thin, and you are not strong, try Benhall's Wine of Olives. If meat cannot be taken, Benhall's Wine of Olives supplies its place, as it makes both fat and muscle. It aids digestion.

Prepared by BENHALL OLIVE CO., Lowell, Mass. For Sale by Druggists

Senator Lodge and the Tariff

During the tariff discussion of the past week in the United States senate, Senator Hale of Maine charged the tea retailers of this country of extorting and said "that tea which is admitted free in this country is sold here at an advance of 300, 400 and 500 per cent on the wholesale price.

Senator Lodge said "that tea selling at 16c a pound in this country is retailed at 60c a lb."

This is absolutely correct in most cases. Why continue such extravagance when we sell those goods at a fair margin of profit! No stamps, tickets, rockers or humbug.

—TEAS—	—COFFEES—
25c, 30c and 35c	18c, 20c, 22c, 25c

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James S. Hastings

Has removed from Bridge St. to 156 and 158 Merrimack Street, second floor, lately occupied by Green Bros., separate entrance one door from Palmer St.

Mr. Hastings has had considerable trouble in finding suitable premises, but considers the new place the best in every respect for his line of business. Customers and friends are invited to call and see for themselves.

The goods, the styles, the prices are now ready for inspection. If you cannot find what you want elsewhere call and see our offerings in Draperies, Upholstery Goods, Floor Coverings, etc.

156 AND 158 MERRIMACK ST., 2ND FLOOR. TEL. 2508

VALUABLE PAPER

Read Before Sons of Revolution

About 50 members of Old Middlesex Chapter, Sons of the Revolution met at Page's last evening at dinner. The divine blessing was invoked by Rev. A. C. Ferrin, chaplain.

After dinner the president, Charles H. Conant, called to order and referred to the death of Stephen C. Davis, a member. Reporting for a committee, appointed for the purpose, consisting of himself and Elisha J. Neale, George W. Putnam presented a set of resolutions in reference to Compatriot Davis, which was adopted, also a brief record of his life.

Edward W. Clark and William Henry Worcester were admitted to membership.

Fred A. Pitcher of Chelsea was introduced as the guest of the chapter and after giving the greetings from Old Suffolk chapter, of which he is an officer, spoke of the month of May in the Revolution.

While it was not a month of great battles it was a month of preparation and of causes leading up to the Revolution, and important events therein.

In May, 1763, the British government decided on the tax on tea, King George saying "We must tax one thing to show we have the right." In May, 1775, the siege of Boston began, Putnam arrived at Cambridge, Artemas Ward was appointed general, Howe, Clinton and Burgoyne arrived at Boston with re-inforcements, and other important events. The speaker dwelt particularly on the interesting story of the Battle of Chelsea, which occurred May 27, 1775, which, while it was a small affair of itself was significant for several reasons, such as that it was the first battle of the war where cannon were used, the first capture of a British vessel, the presence of Stark, Warren and Prescott and that the cannon captured were later used at Bunker Hill.

In May, Ticonderoga and Crown Point were captured, the second continental congress met, Rhode Island declared for independence followed by other states.

Compatriot John I. Coggeshall read an ancestral paper referring to his ancestors, John Coggeshall and William Coddington who were the original Rhode Island colonists, and to his revolutionary ancestors Newby Coggeshall and his son, William Coggeshall, exhibiting a finger ring originally worn by Newby Coggeshall that had been handed down in family until now worn by the speaker.

Dr. Moses G. Parker gave an interesting report of the recent congress of the national society held at Baltimore and Annapolis.

The president pleasantly called to the notice of the chapter the number of clergymen present, and in response to his invitation Rev. Dr. Chambre, Rev. Smith Baker, Rev. B. A. Willmott, Rev. Wilson Waters and Rev. R. A. Green spoke informally.

Other speakers were Compatriots G. C. Brock, and James F. Savage.

After a hearty vote of thanks to the speakers the meeting was adjourned.

FOR THE "YOUNG MRS."

Nice, clear flint nursing bottles, 8 and 10 ounce flask shape or 8 ounce round "clean easy" kind, for 5c each, 50c a dozen. These last two are sold for 10c usually. Strictly pure Sugar of Milk, 25c a pound. Howard, the Druggist, 197 Central St. (Gold Seal Malt, 15c; Johann Hoff's Malt, 25c.)

STAR THEATRE

Merrimack street Opp. City Hall

Today Change of Pictures

Miss Nina Lester, Acrobatic Maid; Fred A. Philbrick, Blackface Comedian

2 to 5. SEATS 5c 7 to 10

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The season's most popular shapes and colors in rough straws, including the Mary Garden, Billie Burke, Favora, Virginia, Eugenia, Troubadour and Chantilly in burnt straw, rose, navy, brown, green, gray an dtaupe. Styles sold this season from $1.98 to $3.00. Your choice Thursday

At 29c Each

These hats will not be shown in our windows but will be displayed on tables in millinery dept. and the price is specially for A THURSDAY SALE.

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LORD CURZON

SAYS WOMAN SUFFRAGE WILL CAUSE EMPIRE'S DOWNFALL

LONDON, May 19.—Addressing the league to oppose woman suffrage, Lord Cromer, president of the league, contended that the cause of woman suffrage was declining. The whole argument against enfranchising women could practically be summed up by saying they were unfitted to vote because they were not men. James Hereford said the female sex was not naturally fitted to be placed on an equality with men.

Lord Curzon said he regarded the woman suffrage movement as the most important subject in contemporary politics. The enfranchisement of women, he added, would endanger the safety of the empire.

"The day 20,000,000 male and female voters are added to the register by the adoption of the system of adult suffrage, you may put up the shutters of the British empire and write 'Ichabod' over the gates of Whitehall," he said.

GIRL WILL RECOVER

PROVIDENCE, May 19. — Mabel Arabian, the 16 year old girl who was shot yesterday by Aram Zartanian, who then committed suicide, will recover, according to the physician at the Rhode Island hospital, where the girl is being treated. Miss Arabian received a bullet in the arm.

Special Notice

There will be a meeting of the Stone Masons' union at 32 Middle st., Friday night, May 21, at 8 o'clock, business of importance. Signed,

PATRICK McGRATH, Pres.

Eagles, Notice

All members of Lowell Aerie, No. 225, F. O. E., are requested to be present at the home of our late brother, Jos. S. King, 76 Washington street, Wednesday evening, May 19th, at 8.30 o'clock, at which time and place the exercises of our order will be held. Per order,

JAMES F. MORRISON, W. Pres.,
JOHN M. HOGAN, Sec.

Cook, Taylor & Co.

Merrimack Street Store

Thursday's Bargains

Bigger and Better Than Ever Before

75 Ladies' Pretty Black and Colored Silk Dresses, lace yoke and sleeves (all shades), Thursday $7.08. These suits are well worth $12.50.

68 Fine Taffeta Silk Jumper Suits, in all colors, extra heavy Taffeta Silk, guaranteed, Thursday $5.98; value $10.

60 Ladies' Fine Gingham, Lawn and Muslin Dresses, very pretty patterns and styles, $1.98 Each; some sold as high as $5.00.

25 Navy Blue Dress Skirts, $2.98 and $3.98, to clean up. Some sold as high as $10.

Heavy Percale Wrappers, Thursday 59c; worth $1.00.

Shirt Waists, 19c; were 50c.

Fine Lawn Waists, prettily embroidered, 89c; were 75c.

25 doz. Extra Fine Quality Lingerie Waists, fine embroidery, made to sell for $1.98, Thursday 98c and $1.19.

50 dozen Ladies' Fine Fast Black and Tan Hose, 7c a Pair; good value at 12½c.

Men's Ribbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 19c; value 25c. All sizes.

Ladies' Long Silk Lisle Gloves, Thursday 25c a Pair; regular 75c quality, white and black only.

Raincoats, $2.98; were $7.50.

Raincoats, $3.98; were $8.50.

Ladies' and Misses' Satin Mercerized Lined Panama Coats, Black, blue and brown, $3.98; were $6.50.

Ladies' Heavy Satin Lined Panama Coats, $4.98; from $7.50. All sizes in either lot, from 32 to 47.

Children's White Dresses, special prices for the May processions, all sizes, from 98c up.

Ladies' Heavy Cotton Drawers, 15c a Pair.

Ladies' Pretty Corset Covers, 15c; were 25c.

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C. B. COBURN CO.,

Why! Ladies! this is the place to shop
He buys the best broom, 24c the best mop.
A $1.10 for a garbage can strong
You couldn't expect one for a song.
Reliance Mop Wringers, one dollar-and-a-half,
Now wouldn't these prices make you laugh?
Iron pails at 19c, will make you stop.
14c for Mop Wasts; with a plentiful crop.
$2.55 for our Iron Ash Can,
It can't be broken by a careless man.
A fibre pail for 25 cents.
Oh! trade at Coburn's—it's no expense.

63 MARKET STREET

WALTER E. GUYETTE, Auctioneer

Office, Rooms 77-78 Central Block., Telephone 2415.

SATURDAY, MAY 22, 1909, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M., ABSOLUTE SALE OF A FINELY LOCATED LOT OF LAND CONTAINING 5463 SQ. FEET ON WAITE STREET, NEXT TO CORNER OF POWELL STREET.

On the date set apart, I have had placed in my hands for sale at absolute auction an exceptionally fine building lot, situated within three minutes' walk of the Chelmsford street line of electrics, containing 5463 square feet of land, more or less, with a frontage on Waite street of 78 feet. This lot is high, dry and sightly. If you have in mind the erection of a home or wish a good location to build an investment property that has all the modern improvements, such as city water, gas, sewer, electric lights, etc., be sure to attend this sale, as someone will realize a great bargain.

TERMS: $150 to be deposited with the auctioneer as soon as struck off. Other terms at sale. By order of 15 associates, by

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All of which are Regular Thirty-five-cent Coffees

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Fair tonight; Thursday fair followed by showers in the afternoon or night, light winds generally easterly.

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THE WHITE PLAGUE

What Local Health Dept. Does to Prevent Its Spread

"What is the local board of health doing to prevent the spread of tuberculosis?"

That question was asked a reporter for this paper today and at the office of the board of health the reporter met and talked with Agent Bates and Frank J. O'Hare, inspector of contagious diseases.

The knowledge of death from contagious diseases is conveyed to the board of health by the death certificates filed there by the doctors. In the case of a death by tuberculosis the board sends a notice to the house where the death occurred and the notice bears the board's recommendation that the room, especially where the patient died, should be thoroughly fumigated and the board tenders the service of its department.

In some instances these notices are not received in the proper spirit. Very frequently it is looked upon as a bit of an insult, a suggestion that the general cleanliness of the house to which it is sent is questioned. This, however, is never the fact. It is done for the purpose of preventing the spread of infection. Persons viewing the notice in the wrong light sometimes fail to reply to it though the board sends with the notice a stamped postal card and on the notice appear words "please return answer on enclosed postal." When no answer is returned Inspector O'Hare visits the house in person and makes what recommendations he considers necessary; the whitewashing or painting of walls and ceilings, the washing of woodwork and floors with a solution of soda or something of a cleansing nature and he insists on fumigation.

In order that a general knowledge of the disease may be known the board distributes copies of a pamphlet on the spread of tuberculosis, prepared by the state board of health. The families with whom the pamphlets are left are asked to read it in its entirety, but special attention is called to the following sections:

1. Whenever a member of a household is sick with tuberculosis, have the other members, especially the children, examined. Meanwhile, keep young children away from the patient and from the room or rooms in which the patient stays. Allow no nurse or caretaker who has tuberculosis of the lungs to be employed about the children.

2. The bed-rooms are, so far as health is concerned, the most important rooms in the house. Here children spend about half their lives. These rooms should be kept clean and well aired. The windows should be opened wide several times a day. If possible, sunny rooms should be used for bed-rooms, and the windows kept partly open at night to ensure a plentiful supply of fresh air.

3. The patients' bed linen and underclothing should be boiled, and the blankets hung out of doors on every sunny day.

4. Because of danger from drinking cups and other dishes, you should either provide a separate set of dishes for the patient, or require the greatest care to be taken to boil all those which he has used.

5. Carefully clean and disinfect all rooms which you are to occupy where persons with tuberculosis have been housed. Rooms should be made as bare as possible of furnishings which cannot be easily cleaned. Handling dirty and soiled carpets imparts danger to others. Carpets should be dampened before removing them, and all dust should be kept moist. Walls and all woodwork, including floors, should be re-whitened and walls re-papered and painted.

6. Do not occupy immediately a house in which tuberculous persons have been living, without first cleaning and properly disinfecting the house or such parts thereof as have been frequented by the sick. The germs probably do not live after six months, and some of them will be destroyed before that time.

The individual patient is cautioned never to kiss an infant or a young child, and to use great care not to come in contact with young children. The patient is advised to sleep alone, and, if possible, in a room by himself. Patients in Lowell who are not in a position to take care of themselves or who have none to care for them are sent to the hospital at Tewksbury. Sending the patient to Tewksbury does not pauperize him. The local board of health goes a little further. It contributes to the support of patients at their homes in this city and even this assistance does not pauperize the patient.

Agent Bates says that the work of preventing the spread of tuberculosis would be made easier if the public in general had the same dread of the disease as it has of smallpox, which, of course, is not nearly as fatal as is tuberculosis. The number of deaths from smallpox are fewer than most of us imagine, as will be seen from the following figures taken from the United States Health Report giving the number of cases of smallpox and deaths from same in various states from Dec. 26, 1908, to May 7, 1909.

States	Cases	Deaths
Alabama	[illegible]	2
California	[illegible]	5
Illinois	743	1
Indiana	235	1
Kansas	223	1
Kentucky	176	2
Louisiana	143	1
Maine	145	0
Massachusetts	7	1
Michigan	85	0
Minnesota	172	0
Mississippi	135	0
Missouri	165	0
Montana	229	1
Nebraska	51	0
New Hampshire	10	0
New York	219	3
No. Carolina	310	0
No. Dakota	241	0
Ohio	630	0
Oregon	183	0
Pennsylvania	11	0
Tennessee	594	1
Texas	436	1
Utah	740	1
Vermont	72	0
Virginia	130	1
Washington	140	1
Wisconsin	368	0

Out of a grand total of 8695 cases in the United States during the dates herein mentioned, there were but 37 deaths.

FIRM MAY NOT RESUME

NEW YORK, May 19—Receiver Berwick of the brokerage firm of Tracy & Co. said today that the present indications were that the firm would not be able to resume.

NOTICE

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Labelle, the Merrimack st. eye specialists are making extensive alterations in their optical establishment and it will be necessary to close until Saturday morning.

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GOVERNOR'S PLAN

For Holding B. & M. Stock Discussed at State House

BOSTON, May 19.—The suggestion of Gov. Draper for the solution of the railroad situation in New England by the formation of a Massachusetts holding company to take over the Boston & Maine holdings of John L. Billard of Meriden, Conn., met with both support and opposition today at the hearing by the executive committee on railroads and street railroads on a bill embodying the governor's suggestion drawn by the attorney-general. Among those who supported the bill were Major Henry L. Higginson, Harold L. Coolidge, representing the Business Men's Merger league, Minot Weld, a manufacturer, Charles Francis Adams, 2d, treasurer of Harvard, former Rep. Charles Dean of Wakefield, former Mayor John F. Fitzgerald and Fred P. Fish.

Those who announced their opposition to the bill principally to the clause which permits a railroad company such as the New Haven to finance the holding company were Rep. White of Brookline, Bernard J. Rothwell, president of the Boston Merchants association; Louis D. Brandeis and W. B. Lawrence of the Anti-merger league, and C. H. Jones of the Transportation committee of the Merchants association.

The debate before the committee consumed the greater part of the day.

Mr. Brandeis announced that he had a substitute bill to offer which provides that the holding company shall acquire all the stock of the Boston & Maine in order that the directors of the company shall have been approved by the governor and council.

Major Higginson stated that the present proposition was probably the last chance that Massachusetts would have to control that block of stock. Mr. Adams said that under the present conditions Mr. Billard is morally bound to sell the stock to Massachusetts but if the present suggestion is not accepted that obligation ceases and there is nothing to prevent his selling to any other railroad company.

MANY CAME FROM CANADA

CHICAGO, May 19.—Despite the claims made by Canada of the immense immigration entering its borders from the United States and Europe, C. B. Schmidt of the Rock Island and Frisco road has compiled figures which show that ending June 30, 1908, more people came into the United States from Canada than emigrated from this country to Canada. He obtained his figures from figures of commissioners of immigration of the United States and Canada. During the year Mr. Schmidt finds that 56,000 left the United States to take up homes in Canada while 58,268 came from Canada to live in this country.

SUM OF $3,000,000 INVOLVED

DEDHAM, May 19.—A notice of objection to the allowing of the will of Elizabeth A. Brigham of Brookline filed on May 6 disposing of an estate estimated at about $3,000,000 was filed in the Norfolk county court today by attorneys for Mrs. Susan Cogan of Chicago. Mrs. Cogan who was a niece of Mrs. Brigham and states herself to be the sole next of kin received under the will $2000 per year for the remainder of her life. After small bequests to the university of Vermont, the St. Albans, Vt., hospital and various individuals, the residue of the estate is left in trust, the income to be given to the Robert B. Brigham hospital for incurables founded by Mrs. Brigham's husband. A hearing will be held probably during the first week in June.

WANT TARIFF PROTECTION

MONTREAL, May 19.—The delegation from the Montreal board of trade which will attend the congress of chambers of the empire to be held in Sydney, Australia, next September, goes instructed for a tariff protection against foreign countries and a preferential tariff being the component parts of the empire.

At a meeting of the board of trade on May 6th which very few of the members attended, the organization instructions along these lines were changed to declare in favor of reciprocal trade within the empire, subject to the requirements of revenue. The action of the board was challenged and another meeting was held yesterday. The debate ended with a decisive vote in favor of the original instructions.

DROP IN STOCKS

When Death of Rogers Was Announced

NEW YORK, May 19.—Declines in stocks in which he was interested resulted from the announcement of the death of H. H. Rogers. Amalgamated Copper of which he was president opened a point lower and dropped further on succeeding sales. Consolidated Gas fell 2¾. The market, generally however held firm.

PLANT BURNED

THE LOSS IS ESTIMATED AT $100,000

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 19.—The plant of the Memphis Cottonseed Oil company, one of the largest in the south, was destroyed by fire early today at a loss of nearly $200,000 including the machinery and stock. A number of candy freights near the building were destroyed. A large amount of oil in tanks was saved.

BIG MARATHON RUN

CHICAGO, May 19.—World's champions will race in a Marathon run to be held at the South Side baseball park May 29, all of the stars who ran in New York City April 20 being expected to compete. Charles Harvey, who is handling the New York end of the arrangements stated that he had secured the promises of John Svanberg, Johnny Hayes, the Olympian champion, and Dorando Pietri. Harvey will go after St. Myes and Tom Longboat and expects to sign them up.

HARRY MERCHOT

BROUGHT TO BOSTON ON LARCENY CHARGE

BOSTON, May 19.—Harry Merchot, alias Harry Merchant, 24 years old, of Peabody, was arrested Monday night in a house between Epping and Exeter, N. H., charged with the theft of $1200 worth of jewelry and $30 from Mrs. Emily Shattuck of Orleans. Mrs. Shattuck was on her way to Boston on a train when she missed her handbag. A clerk in a jewelry broker's office was arrested a few days later, charged with receiving stolen property.

Merchot was traced by the police and finally arrested. He was brought to Boston and locked up. He will be arraigned before Judge Cleary in the East Boston police court tomorrow morning.

GENERAL STRIKE

PARIS, May 19.—The life of Paris was in all respects normal up to noon today and the general strike decreed by the General Federation to commence today with the building trades promises to be a huge fiasco. The movement was voted by the hotheads against the better judgment of the conservatives.

A soldier on duty at a branch postoffice was attacked last night and almost stabbed to death by three discharged postmen.

WOMEN'S CLUBS MEET

NASHUA, N. H., May 19.—Two hundred delegates from all over New Hampshire gathered here today to attend the 34th annual meeting of the New Hampshire Federation of Women's clubs. Welcoming addresses and responses from out of town delegates were followed by an address by Mrs. F. H. West of the Maine State Federation. The annual reports of officers were then read.

WM. H. STAFFORD

Re-elected Secretary of Foresters

WORCESTER, May 19.—The annual state convention of the Massachusetts branch, Foresters of America, met in convention in this city today. At the

WILLIAM H. STAFFORD

election of officers for the forthcoming year, W. H. Stafford of Lowell was elected to the grand secretaryship and John Condon of the same city was voted a member of the board of grand trustees.

NEW BUILDINGS

Several Permits Taken Out Today

There may be some men within her walls who are short on faith in Lowell, but Esreal Greenberg isn't one of them. Mr. Greenberg still continues to add to his real estate here and he allows that Lowell is all right.

He was granted a permit at the office of the inspector of lands and buildings today for the erection of a five tenement house in Chelmsford street, near Ware street. The estimated cost is $8000.

Ann Greenwood has been granted permits to move two buildings to a street running between 168 and 174 Hale street, called Greendale avenue. One of the houses will be moved from 94 Cambridge street, and the other from 116-118 Cambridge street. The cost of moving and additions contemplated is estimated at about $1500.

Edward Farrell was granted a permit this forenoon for the erection of an up-to-date cottage house in Third avenue.

BROKER FOXWELL

PLEADED NOT GUILTY TO CHARGE OF LARCENY

BOSTON, May 19.—After pleading "not guilty" to a charge of larceny by false pretenses of $2000 from the Growler Copper Co., Charles Foxwell, who was brought back from Washington today, had a long interview with the police officials and claimed that while he received the money he sent a part of it to promoting a company in Belgium. The balance of the sum, he said, was for his personal expenses in Europe. He said that he acted as the eastern agent for the Growler Co. and that if the Belgium concern was not an honest corporation he as well as the Growler Co. had been duped.

THE MILITARY

NOW CONTROL THE CITY OF MERSINA

MERSINA, May 18 (Tuesday).—Edward I. Nathan, the American consul at Mersina, has returned after a three days' visit to Adana. He reports that the military now control that city and that confidence gradually is being restored. Several thousand Armenian refugees are returning to their homes under military guard.

The military commission from Constantinople, which is investigating the recent rioting in the Adana vilayet, has taken the testimony of Stephen B. Trowbridge, a missionary of the American board of commissioners for foreign missions, who was with the American missionaries, Henry Maurer and D. M. Rogers, when they were killed.

Surgeon Miller with a detail of enlisted men from the American cruiser North Carolina is in charge of the new hospital just opened at Adana. The North Carolina is in Mersina harbor. Sickness at Adana is increasing because of the great heat and the necessity of contributions to relieve the suffering is still urgent.

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PRESIDENT TAFT

Begins His First Tour of the South as President

PETERSBURG, May 19.—President Taft today was the guest of both Pennsylvania and Virginia when he delivered an address at Fort Mahone following the unveiling of a monument and statue of Gen. John F. Hartranft erected in memory of Pennsylvania soldiers who fell fighting about Petersburg during the war between the states, and later became the guest of this city at a luncheon and reception tendered in his honor. The president's visit to Petersburg, once the "citadel of the confederacy" has had the city aflutter for more than a month and the plans for his entertainment have surpassed anything of the sort ever undertaken here. The occasion of Mr. Taft's first visit into the south as president was taken advantage of by the Virginians for a display of hospitality for which the section long has been noted.

In addition to the president, many other distinguished visitors participated in the day's events. Gov. Stuart of Pennsylvania; Gov. Swanson of Virginia, members of the battlefield's committee of Pennsylvania, large delegations from Grand Army posts and a host of Confederate veterans have gathered here, while at the luncheon this afternoon the speakers include in addition to the president and the two governors M. Jusserand, the French ambassador; Rear Admiral Sigsbee, U. S. N. retired; President E. A. Alderman of the University of Virginia; former Govs. Cameron and Montague of Virginia; Mayor Jones and W. B. McIlwaine of Petersburg.

Upon his arrival shortly after nine o'clock the president was driven to the historic old battlefield. He witnessed at Fort Stedman the unveiling of a tablet which stands on a spot where the third division of the Ninth army corps, commanded by Gen. Hartranft, later governor of Pennsylvania, recaptured the works on March 25, 1865, after they had been taken by Gen. Gordon and one hundred picked men before daybreak of the same day. Milton Embik, secretary of the Pennsylvania battlefields commission, delivered the oration, and Miss Mabel E. Jones of Boston pulled the silken cord which released the flags around the tablet.

From Fort Stedman the president and his party were driven the mile and a half to Fort Mahone, where the Hartranft statue had been constructed at a cost of $50,000. Every inch of the way witnessed bloody battles during the siege of Petersburg. Old soldiers in blue and in gray rode side by side from Stedman to Mahone. Col. I. H. Goddard of Providence, R. I., presided at the unveiling of the statue. The enveloping flags were released by a committee of women seated in the north and south stands, among them Mrs. William Mahone, wife of the confederate general for whom the fort was named; Mrs. Clarence Fowler of Harrisburg, daughter of Gen. Hartranft, and Mrs. Wm. H. McGill, daughter of Gen. Mahone. The oration was delivered by Major Isaac Brown, president of the Pennsylvania battlefields commission. Next came the address of President Taft, whose subject was "The Union." Following his custom since becoming president, Mr. Taft spoke extemporaneously. Gov. Stuart of Pennsylvania then turned the monument over to the state of Virginia, the speech of acceptance being delivered by Gov. Swanson. With the sounding of "taps" the ceremonies at the monument concluded and the president and other distinguished visitors returned to Petersburg as the guests of the city for the remainder of the day.

The luncheon arranged for the president was attended by more than 1000 persons. It was served on the sloping lawns of Center Hill mansion, the home of Charles Hall Davis, president of the Petersburg chamber of commerce. The president and the honored guests were served at a table on the wide veranda. Others at the luncheon sat at turf-covered tables beneath the sun. It had been arranged that Mrs. Taft would be the guest of thirty women at a luncheon in the main dining hall but illness prevented her from accepting. During the evening the president will hold a public reception at a lawn fete. The president's party leaves at 10.20 tonight for Charlotte, N. C.

Deep regret is expressed that Mrs. Taft who, owing to a nervous breakdown, was unable to accompany the president.

President Taft said in part:

"My Fellow Citizens: We are met today on the soil of Virginia to dedicate a memorial to the bravery of the sons of Pennsylvania exhibited in a contest to the death with the sons of Virginia and the south. We stand here in the center of the bloodiest and most critical operations of the last year of the civil war, only a few miles distant from that dramatic scene at Appomattox between Grant and Lee which marked the great qualities of the heart and soul of each and which was the real end of the terrible struggle between the two sections.

"In the time which has passed," the president continued, "the bitterness of the fratricidal struggle has passed away and we now treasure as a common heritage of the country the bravery and the valor of both sides in that strife. The army of the Potomac under Grant and Meade was seconded and supported by a generous government. It was hardly so with the confederate forces. Scantily clothed, rarely on more than half rations and for long periods reduced to an allowance of bacon and meal hardly sufficient to sustain life the long winter through, their shivering infantry manned the over extending siege works and made head against the vigorous assaults of the union army until their depleted ranks were no longer equal to the defense of their attenuated lines and they gave up a contest which by any other soldiers but the tried and seasoned veterans of the army of northern Virginia would long before have been abandoned. Pennsylvania's pride must be in the victory achieved by her men against so brave, resolute and resourceful an enemy. That we can come here today and in the presence of tens of thousands of the survivors of the gallant army of northern Virginia and of their descendants establish such an enduring monument by their hospitable welcome and acclaim is proof of the uniting of the sections and universal confession that all that was well done, that the battle had to be fought, that the sections had to be tried but that in the end the result has inured to the common benefit of all.

The contending forces of now half a century ago have given place to a new north and a new south and to a more enduring union in whose responsibilities and whose glorious destiny we equally and gratefully share.

DR. HUTCHINSON

SAYS THAT HE WILL RETURN HOME SOON

CAMBRIDGE, May 19.—The receipt today of another telegram from Dr. Percy Hutchinson, the missing Harvard instructor, further convinced the local authorities and his family that the missing man will eventually return home. The telegram stated that Dr. Hutchinson was well and hoped to return soon.

FUNERALS

PEKASKI—The funeral of Andrew Pekaski took place this morning at 8 o'clock from the establishment of Undertaker M. H. McDonough & Sons and was very largely attended. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Holy Trinity church in High street, where at 8.30 o'clock a solemn mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Alexander Ogonowski.

The bearers were four cousins of deceased.

Burial was in the Catholic cemetery, Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons had charge.

DEATHS

CUSTY—Mrs. Mary Custy, a prominent resident of St. Peter's parish, died today at her home, 34 Walnut street, aged 56 years. Deceased was the widow of the late George Custy, and is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Jennie Harrington and Miss Etta Custy, one son, Edward Custy, and a granddaughter, Miss Mary Harrington.

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6 O'CLOCK

HENRY H. ROGERS

Well Known Capitalist Died at His Home Today

NEW YORK, May 19.—H. H. Rogers, the Standard Oil capitalist, died at his residence, about seven o'clock this morning. He arose about 6 o'clock and about half past six he began to feel ill complaining of numbness and nausea. Before anything could be done he sank and died. He went on Friday last to his country place at Fair Haven, Mass., and returned yesterday.

Mr. Rogers was for many years one of the most prominent financiers of the country. He took a leading part in all of the enterprises undertaken by the Standard Oil company group of capitalists; was vice president of the Standard Oil company and was the active spirit in the organization of the American Copper company of which he was president up to the time of his death. He also was interested in a number of railroads serving as a member of directors of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe; the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and the Union Pacific.

The news of the death came as a surprise to Wall street. Mr. Rogers was at the office of the Standard Oil Co. yesterday and appeared to be in good spirits. His health had been failing somewhat for several years past and he had curtailed his financial operations to some extent on that account, but he continued to perform the duties of vice president of the Standard Oil company.

The death of Mr. Rogers follows closely upon the completion of the great railroad project, to the accomplishment of which the energies of his later years, his genius for organization and a very considerable portion of his private fortune were devoted. This was the building of the Virginia railroad, a line which opened up a rich bituminous coal country in West Virginia to a tidewater terminal at Seawalls Point, Va. This road was distinctly an individual undertaking of Mr. Rogers, and he personally bore the greater part of the cost of its construction which has been estimated at $40,000,000.

Mr. Rogers had embarked on his venture some time prior to the financial panic of 1907, which checked similar undertakings by some of the large railroad companies of this country, but the work of building this line went on to its finish, mainly because of the energy and faith which Mr. Rogers applied to the achievement of his purpose.

Early in April only a few weeks ago the road was opened to traffic.

The opening was a success and after receiving the congratulations of the officials and business men of Virginia upon his splendid courage which had carried the work to its finish, Mr. Rogers returned to his home in New York.

His death, coming so soon after the end of this work and before he saw the fruit of his labor in the development of the section served by his road, is regarded by his friends and associates among New York financiers as a regrettable ending of a brilliant career in the business and financial world.

Mr. Rogers arose, as he usually did, about five o'clock this morning. At six o'clock he complained of feeling ill and a physician was hurriedly sent for. His heart action was weak and it was apparent that he was suffering from a stroke of apoplexy. This was the second illness of this nature suffered by Mr. Rogers, the first having occurred in July, 1907. In spite of all that could be done for him this morning, Mr. Rogers sang rapidly and the end came peacefully at 7 o'clock.

Following the stroke of apoplexy in 1907 Mr. Rogers began putting his affairs in order and he has been out of the stock market entirely for months. His interests in all of the corporations with which he had been identified have been placed in other hands during the past year. This step was taken in order to safeguard his properties in the event of sudden death.

FORMER RESIDENT

MRS. MARY MASSEY DIED IN LAWRENCE

The many friends of Mrs. Mary Massey, formerly of this city, will be deeply pained to hear of her death, which occurred yesterday at her home, 111 Coolidge street, Lawrence. She was the wife of Mr. George Massey, the well known engraver, and since her husband's employment in Lawrence they had made their home there, though both were frequent visitors to this city. The deceased is survived by her husband, two sons, John and Arthur, a brother, George Watson, the well known baker, and three sisters, Miss Phyllis Watson of this city, Mrs. Osmer Clough of Lawrence and Miss Marion Watson of this city.

HOLY NAME ANNIVERSARY

The special meeting of the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's church was held last evening and made further preparations for the observance of the coming celebration on the 22nd anniversary.

It is expected that about 600 members will attend the solemn high mass at 11 a. m. on next Sunday, May 23rd when Fr. O'Kane, S. J. of Boston college will deliver the sermon. The society, through the zealous work of Rev. Jos. Curtin, is very fortunate in securing the services of such an eloquent preacher as Fr. O'Kane, S. J., for this important occasion.

The social banquet and reunion will be held on the following Tuesday evening, May 25th at 7.30 p. m. in the school hall. Indications point that the maximum number of tickets will be sold and as the limit is 400 members are urged to secure tickets at once from either Rev. Fr. Curtin or Sec. Jos. O'Brien. The committee has secured the services of several of our most prominent citizens for the after dinner exercises and promises an evening of pleasure to all attending.

NO CLUE YET

TO THE MURDERER OF LAURA REGESTER

PROVIDENCE, May 19.—The police department practically came to a halt today in its search for the murderer of Laura Regester, the Cranston woman who was strangled on Reservoir avenue last Monday night. Chief of Inspectors C. S. Horton stated that every clue that has developed thus far has been run down.

STEAMER FLOATED

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 19.—Advices received by the local office of the United Fruit Co. from Port Limon state that the company's steamer Chickahominy has been refloated after having gone ashore and remained stranded for 24 hours near Gorda point off the coast of Nicaragua. The vessel sustained practically no damage.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, May 19.—Cotton futures opened steady. May 11.27; June —; July 10.95; Aug. 10.90; Sept. —; Oct. 10.77; Nov. —; Dec. 10.70; Jan. 10.75; Feb. —; March 10.75.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Selden Colburn of Dracut and Mrs. Levina Davis of this city were united in marriage last night at the residence of Mrs. Harry Taylor in West Sixth street, this city. Only the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties were present. The ceremony was performed at 7.30 o'clock by Rev. George F. Kenngott. The house was very prettily decorated for the occasion with hemlock boughs, apple blossoms, palms and other potted plants. Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Colburn left on a late train for a short wedding trip. They will reside after their return at the old Colburn homestead in Dracut.

BEWARE OF THE BOGUS SOLICITOR WHO REPRESENTS HIMSELF AS AN AGENT FOR THE FIREMEN'S RELIEF ASSOCIATION

MR. ROOSEVELT

Adds Another Rhinoceros to His Collection

NAIROBI, British East Africa, May 19.—Theodore Roosevelt has begun his hunting expedition from the Ju Ja ranch of George McMillan, whose guest he is. He went out last Sunday and bagged a female rhinoceros. The first shot wounded her in the shoulder and she fled to the bushes. Mr. Roosevelt followed on horseback and six more shots were required to bring her down. The head and skull weighed 530 pounds.

FUNERALS

BENT—The funeral of Miss Sarah L. Bent took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 40 Waugh street, Rev. A. R. Dills officiating. There was singing by Misses Lula and Amanda Barnard and the bearers were Merrill Prairie, Frank Kellar, William Leighton and Leslie Acker. Burial was in the Edson cemetery under direction of C. M. Young.

DARLING—The funeral of Della D. Darling took place from her late residence, 31 Nichols street, yesterday afternoon. Rev. J. P. West, pastor of the Highland Methodist church, officiated, assisted by Rev. C. E. Fisher. Mrs. Eugene G. Russell and Miss Ethel Wotton sang appropriate selections. The bearers were George Skinner, Charles Boyce, Chester Phelps and Archibald Higgins. Burial was in the family lot in the Westlawn cemetery under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BROOKS—The funeral of Miss Sarah Brooks took place Tuesday afternoon from the residence, 195 Westford street, and was largely attended. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. Services were conducted by Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, pastor of the Eliot church. There was appropriate singing by Miss Ruth Barney and Miss Vera McArdell. The bearers were Caleb Smith, Frederick Barney, James Sykes and William Bell. Burial was in the Lowell cemetery under the direction of the J. B. Currier Co.

HOWE—The funeral of Augustus J. Howe, who died in Highsmith hospital, Fayetteville, N. C., on May 15, took place at the Edson cemetery chapel Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and was largely attended. Rev. R. A. Greene, D. D., officiated. There were delegations from Milford lodge of Odd Fellows and Centralville lodge of the same order. Pentucket lodge of Masons held its services at the grave. The bearers were Henry Tinker, Chas. Cook, Frederick Coggeshall and Herbert L. Chapman. Burial was under the direction of the J. B. Currier Co.

WIGGIN—The funeral services of the Rev. G. O. Wiggin took place at the Free Baptist church, Loudon Centre, N. H., Monday. The Rev. Mr. Briggs of Lyman, Me., a classmate of Mr. Wiggin at Lewiston, Me., officiated, assisted by the Rev. J. M. Remick of Pittsfield, and the Rev. E. B. Stiles of Alton, the Rev. D. M. Phillips of Canterbury and the Rev. Mr. Hilman of Concord, who also served as bearers.

Mr. Wiggin had been a faithful pastor of the Free Baptist church in Loudon Center for five years, and leaves many warm friends. There were many beautiful floral tributes from relatives and friends.

The body was brought to Lowell for burial. Services were held at the chapel here for relatives and friends.

TIGHE—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Tighe took place this morning from her late home, 4 rear of 168 Adams street. A high mass of requiem was sung at St. Patrick's church, Rev. Fr. McHugh officiating. The choir, under the direction of Michael Johnson, rendered the Gregorian chant and as the body was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was intoned. The bearers were Fred Rourke, James Gorman, Joseph Lee, William Tighe, Michael Lynch and Simon Tighe. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery, Fr. McHugh reading the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge.

Among the many floral tributes were a large pillow inscribed "Mother" from the family; wreath, the Misses Dowd, and sprays, Mrs. J. Welsh and family and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Driscoll.

WHELTON—The funeral of John Whelton took place in the Catholic cemetery yesterday afternoon. Services were held from the home of his parents, 19 Lombard street, and were largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from out of town, among them being the Misses Collins of Framingham and Hayes of Bedford and Mrs. Collins of Billerica. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, including a large pillow inscribed "Our John," from the family; wreath on base, D. J. Donovan and family; star and crescent on base, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Whelton; wreath on base, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Whelton; anchor on base, John and the Misses Nellie and Margaret Sullivan; cross on base, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Collins and family; mammoth wreath, Mr. and Mrs. John Collins and family of Framingham; spray of roses, Miss Minnie Whelton; spray of lilies, Miss Kate Murphy; wreath, Miss Nellie Savage; basket of pinks, Mrs. J. Simpson and the Misses McCafferty; basket of roses, Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre; palms and roses, Mr. and Mrs. Muldoon; sprays, the Misses Stapleton and Lanfton, Mr. and Mrs. Dozsis and family, Helen and Maurice Usher, Esther Bagley, Charles Kelleher, Robert F. Conroy, Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett, Miss Katie McPhilip, the Coffey children, the Cadden family, the Misses Barry, McInerney and Moloney; a bunch of violets from the Reardon and Cheney children, and a large spray from Baby Corcoran. The bearers were David Boyle, Peter Boyle, William Cogger, Hugh McCarthy, Joseph Quinn and Martin Ginivin, all classmates of deceased. Previous to the funeral about 75 boys, all members of the Holy Angel sodality of St. Patrick's church, assembled at the house and sang the office of the dead, Master Whelton being at one time a beloved member of the sodality. The burial was under the direction of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

WELCH—The funeral of Bartholomew Welch took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 93 Chapel street. High mass of requiem was sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock, Rev. Fr. O'Brien officiating. The choir under the direction of Prof. Haggerty sang the Gregorian chant. At the offertory "Domine Jesu Christe" was sung by Prof. Haggerty and after the elevation, James E. Donnelly sang "Jesu Salvator Mundi." As the remains were being borne from the church "De Profundis" was sung by John J. Fulton. Mrs. Josephine McKenna presided at the organ. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were the following: Large pillow, inscribed "Grandpa," from the Welch family; wreath, Miss Mary Welch, daughter of the deceased; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Welch; large cross inscribed "At Rest," Miss McDermott and Dalton family; wreath, James F. Norton; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. William Barris; Mr. H. Gregoire. The bearers were Messrs. James F. Norton, Edward Cunningham, Edward Dalton, Philip Ginty and Patrick Costello. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery. Rev. Fr. Mullen read the committal prayers. Funeral in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

SUES FOR $100,000

WOMAN ACCUSES MAN OF CONVERSION OF DIAMONDS

BOSTON, May 19.—Miss Maud Ronca, a violinist of Woburn, has brought suit against Nathan Mendlow, a Lynn jeweller, for $10,000, charging the conversion of several diamonds.

The suit was filed in Salem this week and the nature of the action was not specified. The report was circulated that Miss Ronca had sued Mr. Mendlow for breach of promise. Atty. Charles D. Moore of Lynn, who with Atty. Mark Sullivan of Newburyport represents the complainant, stated yesterday that this report is incorrect.

According to the claim of Miss Ronca, Mendlow kept company with her and presented her with diamonds valued at between $5000 and $10,000. Later, she charges, he got them from her on a pretext, and refused to give them back. She sues to recover the diamonds.

Mr. Mendlow, who is represented by Atty. James W. Sullivan, will contest the suit. He denies ever having made Miss Ronca a present of diamonds. He says he loaned her two diamonds valued at a few hundred dollars on two occasions.

Miss Ronca is residing at 2 St. Botolph street, Boston.

TOMMY QUILL

GIVEN THE DECISION OVER JIMMY CLABBY

BOSTON, May 19.—Tommy Quill of Brockton won the decision over Jimmy Clabby of Milwaukee in their 12 round bout at the Armory A. A. last night, but Clabby displayed more class than Quill. It was a surprise for the majority of the fans, who figured Clabby a sure winner on account of the way he had been touted.

There is no doubt that he is a good boxer, but a slippery canvas on the floor of the ring placed him at a big disadvantage. There is no question about Quill earning the decision, but with a good canvas the result might have been different.

Billy Rolfe shattered Young Jack Johnson's dream of advancing into the main bout class. They met in the semi-final and Rolfe got the award at the end of eight rounds. Seldom did Johnson lead, but waited to counter Rolfe when he came in. Rolfe put him to the floor twice and Johnson landed some stiff rights on Rolfe's jaw and head.

In the opening bout Frank Peron of Pawtucket stowed Frank Commisky of Cambridge away nicely in two rounds.

ATTEMPT MADE

TO FLOAT SCHOONER JENNIE FRENCH POTTER

VINEYARD HAVEN, May 19.—Efforts to float the five masted schooner Jennie French Potter of New York, which ran ashore on Half Moon shoal in Nantucket sound shoal yesterday morning, were begun today. The tug Orion arrived here early today and after taking on board Captain Joseph R. Potter of the Potter and two divers proceeded to the scene of the wreck, which is about 30 miles from here. The Orion joined the tugs Underwriter and Confidence, which came to the aid of the distressed schooner with the wrecking lighter Salvor from Boston. The vessel did not receive any additional damage during the night, being in practically the same position as when she struck, and it was believed that she could be pulled off at high water.

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DEATHS

KING—Joseph S. King died yesterday morning at his home, 76 Washington street, at the age of 36 years and 6 months. He was a member of the Eagles, and leaves a wife, Mary, one daughter, Helen, and one son, Thomas.

PEKARSKI—Andrew Pekarski died yesterday morning at the State hospital, Tewksbury, aged 64 years. He leaves two sons and three daughters. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons of this city.

George Loucroft vs. Tom Sawyer at the Gladstone Club tomorrow night.

FUNERAL NOTICES

MITCHELL—The funeral of the late Chas. F. Mitchell will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from 14 Fisher street. Undertakers Higgins Bros. will be in charge of.

WHEELER—Died May 18, Hersey D. G. Wheeler, aged 79 years, and 5 months at his residence, 60 Royal street. Funeral services Thursday afternoon at 2.30 from his late home. Friends invited. Burial private. George W. Healey, undertaker.

KING—The funeral of the late Joseph S. King will take place Friday morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 76 Washington street. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. The funeral will be under the direction of Funeral Director John J. O'Connell.

NEW "WHITE" STORE

F. C. Garrett, the popular proprietor of the White Store of this city, has leased a store at 286 Essex street, Lawrence, Mass., and last evening the grand formal opening took place, and was attended by a large number of the friends of the proprietor and his clerks. The place was crowded with people and purchasers, and, judging from the sales that were made last evening, the word "Success" has already been written. Their specialty has always been ladies' white goods. The high quality of their goods and their low prices have made their stores successful undertakings. This is the third store which Mr. Garrett now owns.

Mr. Garrett is an acknowledged hustler, not alone in his own business, but in the affairs of the city and the Merchants' association.

A large representation of local merchants went to Lawrence to attend the opening and extend congratulations.

ANNA HELD

SAYS THAT SHE HAS MADE $1,000,000

NEW YORK, May 19.—"I have made my pile, $1,000,000 in gold plunks, and I'm going to quit the stage," said Anna Held, the actress, who sailed for Europe yesterday.

"I have made the money in America and I shall invest here. My tour next season will be my last appearance on the stage.

"But in New York? New York is wise. New York is tired at night. New York wants to laugh and be interested excited. I think it is a good thing that I have given New York what it wants.

"I am going to buy 200 acres near Fort George. There I shall have a place where nice people can come and enjoy themselves. There will be a restaurant, some shows—all very high class—and gardens. I shall build a home near there for myself and settle down."

CONGREGATIONAL CONFERENCE

PAWTUCKET, R. I., May 19.—The last day of the session of the annual conference of the Congregational churches of Rhode Island opened at the Park Place Congregational church in this city today. After the devotional exercises by Rev. Hugh Hughes, the business session was opened by Rev. Eric I. Linds of Pawtucket. The advisory committee recommended a plan for the concentration of resources on different churches each year in order to increase the efficiency of the work. It was also voted to divide the $25,000 for benevolent purposes to be raised by the churches among seven societies pro rata. The woman's missionary societies held their annual sessions at the close of the morning service.

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ALDERMAN CONNORS

Asked Mayor Brown Some Pertinent Questions Last Night

And Got Little Information—Motion to Adjourn Cut off the Discussion—Business Transacted by the Aldermen Last Night

"When will come the end of the police board hearing?"

"What will be the probable cost of the police board hearing?"

"Who is going to pay the freight? From what fund or appropriation will the expense of the hearing be paid or shall a special loan be made?"

These rather pointed and rather interesting questions were put to Mayor

ALDERMAN CONNORS
Who Asked the Mayor Some Pertinent Questions Last Night

Brown by Alderman Connors at a meeting of the aldermen last night.

The mayor did not make answer to the alderman's questions. His Honor told the alderman that if he would call around to the chief executive's office that he would talk the matter over with him.

The alderman wanted the information on the spot. He said it was information that was being looked for by the taxpayers of Lowell and the alderman allowed that the information should be forthcoming.

The alderman pressed the mayor rather sorely for answers to his questions, and while he was still on his feet calling for answers the mayor recognized a motion to adjourn, thus defeating the best efforts of the alderman to have the mayor make answer.

Mayor Brown, in the absence of Alderman Gray, presided at the meeting, and Alderman Connors evidently thought it would be a good time to find out something about the expense of the mayor's police board hearing.

It was about 8.30 when the mayor called for order. Petitions from the New England Telephone & Telegraph company for pole locations were acted upon favorably. The Lowell Gas Light company was voted the privilege of storing dynamite in School and Rock streets.

The petition of George H. Wilson to store petroleum in a store at Manchester and Gorham streets was referred to the proper committee. Several residents of the vicinity in question objected to the granting of the petition. Numerous other petitions of a minor nature were referred to the proper committees.

The report of the committee on appropriations, recommending the recommitment to the fire department committee an order asking for a loan of $5500 for the purchase of fire apparatus for the Centralville fire station was voted.

The joint order introduced by Alderman Stevens, asking for the annual appropriation of $5000 for the Lowell Textile school was passed unanimously.

Then came the resolution introduced by Alderman Adams and favoring the establishment of the Lowell, Lawrence & Interurban railroad. Favorable and unanimous action was taken on the resolution.

The joint order asking for the loan of the picture of James P. Francis to the Lowell Art association, as introduced by Alderman Adams, was laid on the table until the next regular meeting.

The petition recommending the removal of an electric light pole from Nesmith street and its relocation at Mansur and Nesmith streets, a short distance away, was opposed by Aldermen Wainwright and Dexter. They thought it would be putting the city to useless expense and that the results would not be any more beneficial. The petition was defeated, Aldermen Connors and Adams being the only ones favoring it. Alderman Adams gave notice of reconsideration at the next meeting.

The report of the special committee on the Huntington hall site was accepted.

The recommendation of the sewers committee that a sewer be built in Exeter street was read and accepted.

The regular business having been disposed of, Alderman Connors asked the mayor for the information herein stated relative to the mayor's police board hearing. The alderman was hollering for recognition when the meeting adjourned, at 9.45.

George Loucroft vs. Tom Sawyer at the Gladstone Club tomorrow night.

HIGH SCHOOL REGIMENT

The members of the High school regiment are making big preparations for the annual field day which is to be held on the 28th of this month. This morning the regiment held a drill on the South common.

George Loucroft vs. Tom Sawyer at the Gladstone Club tomorrow night.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

A pleasing entertainment was given on Tuesday evening, at the Immanuel Baptist church on Blossom street, under the management of the girls of Mrs. Wedge's and Miss Popplewell's classes of the Sunday school. The program included the following numbers: Instrumental trio, mandolin and guitar, "The Brigands' March," Messrs. Fred and Ted Rolfe and Albert Pihl; solo, "With You in the Land of Love," Hubert Senior; reading, "Kelly's Dream," Raymond Wilde; solo, "Three Green Bonnets," Miss Alice Leith; reading, "The Fireman's Wedding," Miss Jessie Hodge; solo, "Won't You Be My Teddy Bear?" Miss Irene Buchanan; solo, Miss Gertrude French; reading, "His Choice," Raymond Wilde; encore, "Too Particular"; solo, Miss Leith; instrumental trio, Messrs. Pihl and Rolfe; solo, "Won't You Come Over to My House?" Miss Buchanan; solo, "Greetings," Mr. Senior. After the program ice cream was served and a social hour enjoyed.

JIM JEFFRIES

SAYS THAT JACK JOHNSON WILL WIN

CHICAGO, May 19.—James J. Jeffries entertains the opinion that Jack Johnson will win from Jack O'Brien in their six round go at Philadelphia tonight. Jeffries thinks O'Brien has gone back considerably and cites the Philadelphian's battle with Ketchel as an example.

"O'Brien is a mighty clever fighter," said Jeffries, "and if it were not for his showing against Ketchel I would be inclined to believe he had an even chance in tonight's battle, but that fight showed plainly that he has gone back. I believe Johnson will bore in continually and force the fighting. If the negro stands off and spars with O'Brien then O'Brien has a chance, but I firmly believe he will force the milling throughout."

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BOARD OF HEALTH

Suspends Undertaker's License for Ten Days

The board of health has suspended for ten days the undertaker's license of Joseph Albert. The suspension will go into effect May 24. The offence which resulted in the suspension of Mr. Albert's license was the opening of a coffin containing a victim of tuberculosis.

The board gave a hearing to Mr. Albert on Monday afternoon. He was represented by F. W. Qua, and the board, after considering the facts, decided to make the suspension. Notice to this effect was served upon Mr. Albert yesterday.

The funeral in which the undertaker failed to conform to one of the rules of the board of health was in the Greek church, a week ago Sunday, and the board learned that relatives and friends of the deceased had pressed forward to kiss the dead.

At the meeting held Monday afternoon the board granted the following licenses: Stable, E. J. and E. F. McCarthy in Mt. Hope street, master plumber, Edward Scott; swill, W. M. Baird, Philip A. Donahue, Joseph Nolen, Mrs. Charles Jones, Thomas McGee. It was voted to order the discontinuance of 20 vaults in Wigginville.

The question of sanitary dumps was broached, and the board decided to visit all the dumps in the city before making any recommendations.

Friend Brothers, bakers, were given leave to withdraw on their petition for permission to keep ten additional horses in their stable in Westford street.

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Merrimack Street — Basement

JOSEPH CHAMBERLAIN, FAMOUS LIBERALIST, WHOSE END IS NEAR

LONDON, May 19.—Despite the efforts of his relatives and close friends to quiet the reports that Joseph Chamberlain's condition is critical, it is generally understood in England that the former great political leader is near his end. His health has steadily declined for the last six months, and he has suffered frequent serious collapses. Arthur Chamberlain, his son, admitted recently that his father's condition was not improved. Mr. Chamberlain was until his retirement the unionist leader in British politics. He was born in 1836 and was in turn councilman and mayor of Birmingham and on the return of the liberals in 1886 was made president of the board of trade, with a seat in the cabinet. Some of his best known legislative measures are the bankruptcy bill and the readjustment of taxation.

GOVERNOR DRAPER

Summoned to Court for Fast Auto Driving

BOSTON, May 19.—Governor Eben S. Draper, and his chauffeur, were caught in a trap in Wellesley by the police of that town yesterday and summoned to appear in court next week to answer a charge of over speeding. When the police officers learned that they were about to arrest the governor of the commonwealth, one of them apologized.

"Oh, that's all right," replied the governor. "If I'm a lawbreaker, I'm just as guilty as anyone else, even if I am governor. You are simply doing your duty."

The case will come before the district court at Dedham next week.

POLICE BOARD

Granted a Number of Minor Licenses

The board of police met in regular session last night and transacted considerable routine business. A druggists's liquor license was granted to Ruthier & Delisle and a seventh class, paint and oil license, was granted to W. T. S. Bartlett.

The list of licenses granted follows:

Common victualler: Louis Vendikos, 424 Suffolk street; Augustine Lescarbeau, 197 Aiken street; Joseph E. Rocha, 103 Lawrence street; Etta Fitzsimmons, 242 Appleton street; Mme. T. A. Dubuc, 22 Lee street; Peter Anastopoulos, 479 Market street; Bertha Nye Reynolds, 27-31 Palmer street; Gordon C. Bixby, 83 Fletcher street; James Kilarkey, 282 Suffolk street; Athas Komatos, 291 Market street; John Norrie, 110 Powell street; Eugenie Cormier, 68 Cabot street; Kate Weston, 50 Lee street; Georgiana Harrington, 66 East Merrimack street; Geo. Dugay, 561 Moody street; Pierre F. Germain, 114 Cabot street; Frederick T. Wilson, 269 Branch street; Mrs. Arthar Lavalle, 65 French street; Arthur Arcand, 63 Worthen street; Charles Sharf, 65 School street; Alexander Cruickshank, 57 Central street; Elzear Tremblay, 115 Worthen street; Mary Prindiville, 17 Franklin court, for boarding house.

Express: Stanley Transportation Co. 10 lic., 12 Thorndike street; Conway Transfer Co., 12 lic., Northern depot; William E. Riggs, 3 lic., 10 Prescott street.

Old bottles: Jacob Gerson, 29 Daly street; Abraham Barlofsky, 155 Howard street; Simon Rosenfeld, 52 Railroad street.

Junk dealer: John Mayo, 36 Coolidge street.

Junk collector: Louis Felman, 101 Chelmsford street.

Second hand clothing: Morris Lappin, 247 Market street; Sam Slavin, 218 Middlesex street; Dave Bernstein, 186 Middlesex street.

Hawker and peddler: Franklin T. Belton, 130 Third street; Joseph Klein, 110 Howard street; Reuben N. Myers, 20 Lincoln street; Louis Harris, 105 Chelmsford street; Adolph Blanchet, 40 Race street.

Billiards and pool: Thomas Jones, 598 Middlesex street.

Laid on the table:

Common victualler: Gregoro Mugakos, 556 Market street; Nicholas Trafolis, 288 Suffolk street; Dukounis Koumountoureas, 522 Market street.

Billiards and pool: George Vailas, 27 Adams street.

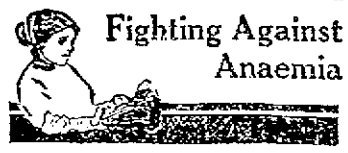
Express: John Alexiou, 6-8 Jefferson street.

Leave to withdraw.

Common victualler: Louis Ventikos, 424 Suffolk street.

Granted: Sixth class license as druggist, Joseph Ruthier, of Ruthier & Delisle, 635 Merrimack street.

Granted: Seventh class license as dealer in paints and chemicals, Will T. S. Bartlett, 656-658 Merrimack street.



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THE MATHEWS' MEETING

The regular meeting of the Mathew Temperance Institute was held last night, ex-President Lyons in the chair. Progressive reports were received from the committees in charge of the moving picture show and banquet. The minstrel committee reported that the performance will be given by the Bachelor club under the auspices of the M. T. I. Messrs. Welsh, Teague, Brady and Nesmith spoke under the head of good and welfare.

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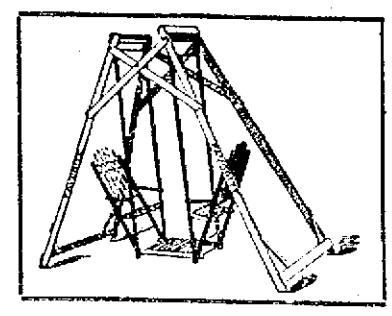

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IS SHOWN AGAINST MAGISTRATE O'REILLY

NEW YORK, May 19.—An action to determine whether or not Magistrate Frank E. O'Reilly shall remain as executor of the Heaney estate is on trial before Surrogate Ketcham in Brooklyn, having begun yesterday with the introduction of testimony intended to show that the estate was improperly administered and the pawnbroking business in Fifth avenue stultified.

Arthur J. Heaney, eldest son of the old pawnbroker, is the complainant. He contends that the profits of the business were more than $15,000 a year until 1905, when Matthew S. Whalen, the manager, was discharged by Magistrate O'Reilly; that since then there has been a decided falling off and that the executor has ruined business by withdrawing ready cash.

Whalen testified yesterday to the existence of a copartnership scheme whereby he, Magistrate O'Reilly and John L. Shea, a prominent democratic politician and former Bridge Commissioner, were to buy the pawnbroking business for $160,000. This fell through, he says, because he and O'Reilly could not agree upon the salary to be paid him as manager. The papers were torn up and Whalen roundly cursed because he held out for $100 a week or nothing at all. Whalen said that when this occurred Shea had already given his check for $25,000 as a first payment on the $60,000 which each of the three was to make but that O'Reilly said that he (O'Reilly) was the boss, that the business was young and he would kill the scheme before he would pay more than $75 a week for a manager, and finally promised to put Whalen in the gutter. Later (in July, 1905) Whalen was discharged.

Feeling ran very strong, and at one stage of the trial it looked as though there might be some violence.

KING'S SALE

HAS STIRRED UP A SCANDAL IN BRUSSELS

BRUSSELS, May 19.—The matter of the sale of King Leopold's collection of pictures and works of art came up in the chamber of deputies yesterday. In reply to a question by Deputy Vandervelde, the socialist leader, Baron Deschamps, minister of state, said that the government was not able to interfere in the direction of acquiring the collection. Deputy Vandervelde then intimated that he would transform the question into an interpellation in the "scandal of the king's sale of pictures to American meat packers."

It is now stated that King Leopold is also selling the Egyptian antiquities presented by Ismail Pasha in 1854, an illustrated catalogue of which has been widely circulated in the United States. The newspapers express great indignation at the sale, which they declare will realize $2,000,000, and this sum they allege will be settled on a son born out of wedlock.

LOSS $150,000

FIVE FIREMEN WERE OVERCOME BY SMOKE

NEW YORK, May 19.—Seven persons, five of them experienced firemen, were dragged unconscious from the upper floors of a building at Third avenue and 127th street, Harlem, last night, overcome by the dense smoke from burning stocks of clothing and manufacturing materials which filled the lower floors. Several of the rescues were accomplished with great difficulty, but no lives were lost.

The fire caused a loss of $150,000. The cause has not been ascertained.

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SCOTT CONFESSED

Says He Murdered Man at Wife's Request

INDIANOLA, Miss., May 19.—Jesse Scott, a young farmer, who, according to officers, confessed to the murder of W. L. Embrey at the suggestion of the latter's wife, was brought here yesterday and placed in jail.

Mrs. Embrey has been placed under arrest. Scott in his confession stated that he met Embrey in an open passage late Sunday afternoon and after some discussion forced him at the point of a revolver to go to a cypress brake and there shot him four times. Scott claims that Mrs. Embrey threatened to kill him if he did not commit the crime.

SUPREME COURT

Says Express Co.'s May Carry Liquor Into "Dry" Towns

BOSTON, May 19.—Express companies doing a general business may carry liquor into a no-license city or town without violating the law if the liquor is brought from another state, according to an opinion handed down by the supreme court yesterday.

A Gardner express company was found guilty by a jury in the superior court of carrying liquor without a permit, from Walpole, N. H. to Gardner, in October, 1907, when Gardner was a no-license town.

The supreme court ordered a new trial.

SUPREME COURT

SAYS CONVICTS CANNOT BE EXTRADITED

BOSTON, May 19.—Privately and for the benefit of Gov. Draper, the Massachusetts supreme court has handed down a decision that convicts serving a sentence cannot be extradited to another state to stand trial for an offense alleged to have been committed therein. The case is that of a colored man now in Charlestown prison serving sentence for burglary, who is wanted in New York on the charge of murder.

The decision affirms the opinion rendered by Attorney General Malone.

PROCLAIMED HEIR

ADDIS ABBEA, May 19.—Prince Lidj Jeassu, the 13-year-old grandson of King Menelik, was today publicly proclaimed heir to the Abyssinian throne in the presence of many chiefs and 20,000 soldiers.

PRICE OF WHISKEY

CINCINNATI, May 19.—Announcement was made in the chamber of commerce yesterday the basis price of whiskey has been advanced two cents from $1.35 to $1.37 a gallon. The advance is due to the high price of grains.

RESIGNATION ACCEPTED

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The resignation of Lieut. Commander James N. Walker, U. S. N. recently forwarded from Guam where he was stationed for a short time, has been accepted by the president to take effect May 31. He is now at Los Angeles, California.

AUTO CARNIVAL

PRES. HEINZE AND SEC'Y McKENNA IN NEW YORK

President John O. Heinze and Secretary John A. McKenna of the Lowell Automobile club are in New York conferring with the racing board of the A. A. A. They left Boston Monday night on the midnight train and it is expected that they will be back in Lowell tomorrow. Among those who will be present at the conference will be Fred Wagner, who acted as starter at the race held in this city last fall. It is expected that Mr. Wagner will also act as starter this year.

While in New York, Messrs. Heinze and McKenna will endeavor to get into touch with the Wright brothers, the aeroplanists, to see if it is possible to get them to come on here during the carnival. It would seem now quite impossible to secure the men inasmuch as they are, according to press despatches, scheduled to sail abroad during July, to conduct experiments for the British and German governments.

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GEORGE MEREDITH

Novelist Who Died at Age of 81

LONDON, May 19.—George Meredith, the English novelist, who died in London, was born in Hampshire, Feb. 12, 1828. He was educated partly in Germany and was brought up to the law, which he quit for literature. His first poems appeared in 1861, followed in rapid succession by various novels and additional poems and ballads. "Diana of the Crossways" was published in 1885 and "One of Our Conquerors" in 1890. "Lord Ormont and His Aminta" appeared in the summer of 1894 and was followed in 1895 by "The Amazing Marriage."

BILLERICA

At the regular meeting of the board of selectmen, Monday night, a hearing was given on the petition of F. G. Morey, a Billerica Centre merchant, that the location of the town scales be changed to a point near his place of business.

Mr. Morey stated that the present location is very inconvenient for him as public weigher. He mentioned the names of a number of citizens in the town who were in favor of the removal of the scales.

William Conner and Forest C. Towle, the latter one of the owners of the property upon which the scales now stand, remonstrated. The board of selectmen took the matter under advisement.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of S. H. Hines Lodge, No. 56, took place last night and was largely attended. Considerable routine business was transacted. The work of degree will be worked on the candidates on Friday night, May 28, and arrangements will be served after the work. Excellent remarks were made for the good of the order by D. C. A. E. Joy, P. C. Ogden, V. C. Jordan, P. C. Pillsbury, C. W. H. Harvey and others. The work of degree staff which worked the lodge so successfully on Tuesday, May 11, on Mayor George H. Brown, James Caldwell and others, Heald was highly commended. [illegible]

Lowell circle of Eagles, 128, will hold another big class initiation in Forresters hall this new quarters, on Thursday night of this week. Fifty new members will come into the local circle and there have been special arrangements made for the entertainment of delegations from the circles in Upper Junction and Fitchburg. The recently organized band of local circle will play at the initiation exercises.

PITCHER CAMNITZ

Now Leads the National League

PITTSBURG, May 19.—Fred Clarke and his perennial pennant pursuers, the Pittsburg Pirates, appear to be the strongest team in the National league at present. The men have been playing a sensational fielding and batting game since the start. Clarke's pitching staff is one of the best in the older organization. A feature of many of the Pirates' games has been the clever pitching of Howard Camnitz, who is now leading the winning twirlers in the National league. Camnitz has won seven straight. Two of his victories have been shutouts, both against strong teams.

OVERTIME GAME

Red Sox Took Another From Detroit

DETROIT, Mich., May 19.—Detroit drove Chech from the box in the sixth, getting three hits and stealing three bases, but Arrellanes held the locals thereafter.

Rossman's wild throw to the pan, following two hits, gave Boston the game in the 10th. Three great fielding plays by Wagner, Speaker and Hooper prevented Detroit from scoring a run that would have ended the game in the regulation number of innings. The score:

BOSTON.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
McConnell, 2b	5	1	1	2	4	0
Lord, 3b	5	1	1	1	1	0
Speaker, cf	5	1	2	5	0	0
Hooper, rf	5	1	1	1	1	0
Stahl, 1b	4	0	2	9	0	1
Niles, lf	2	0	1	5	0	0
Wagner, ss	4	0	1	3	2	0
Carrigan, c	4	0	1	3	2	0
Spencer c	0	0	0	1	0	0
Chech, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Arrellanes, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gessler, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wolter, z	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	5	10	30	11	1

DETROIT

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
McIntyre, lf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Bush, ss	4	0	1	1	5	0
Crawford, cf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Cobb, rf	5	1	2	2	0	0
Rossman, 1b	4	0	0	15	1	1
O'Leary, 3b	4	1	1	2	2	0
Schaefer, 2b	4	0	3	3	5	0
Stanage, c	4	0	1	4	0	0
Willet, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	39	3	11	30	16	1

x—Batted for Chech in the 7th.
z—Ran in place of Carrigan in 10th.

Boston	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2—5
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0—3

Two base hits—McIntyre, Speaker. Three base hits—Crawford, Speaker. Hits—Off Chech 8 in 6 innings; off Arrellanes 3 in 4 innings. At bat against Chech 26, against Arrellanes 13. Sacrifice hit—Arrellanes. Sacrifice fly—Niles. Stolen bases—Bush, Cobb, O'Leary, Schaefer, Stanage, Stahl. Double plays—Schaefer, Bush and Rossman; Carrigan and Wagner. Left on bases—Detroit 7, Boston 5. First base on balls—By Willet 1. First base on errors—Detroit 1. Hit by pitcher—By Arrellanes, Bush. Struck out—By Willet 3, by Chech 2, by Arrellanes 1. Time—1.50. Umpires—Kerin and Sheridan.

HEAVY BATTING

Three Homers in Yesterday's Game

There were about three hundred baseball enthusiasts at Washington park yesterday afternoon to witness the game between Lowell and Lynn. Despite the fact that it was ladies' day there were very few of the gentler sex in attendance and those who went to the game unattended had to settle.

Blanchard started pitching for Lowell, but was sent to the stables after Lynn had batted him out and Musil was substituted. Boyle was on the receiving end of the battery. The battery for the visitors was composed of Hoff and Foster.

Lowell started off in the first inning with a rush, but with the bases filled and none out, failed to score. Unlac, Fleming and Howard made singles, filling the bases, but Fitzpatrick hit to Hoff, the Lynn pitcher who threw Unlac out at the plate, while the ball was sent to first for a double on Fitzpatrick. Cox was thrown out on a fly to Wallace.

Lowell scored a run in the second inning. Venable drew a base on balls and went to third on a single by Ball. Boyle flied to Hamilton, Venable scoring on the put out. Blanchard hit to Hoff and was thrown out.

Lynn slammed out four runs in the third inning. Bark made a single and he went to second on Page's single. Page scored Bark on a single. Hamilton hit a single sending Page to third. Hamilton and Page attempted a double steal, Page scoring, but Hamilton was held on first. Zimmerman hit to Venable forcing Hamilton at second and Zimmerman then stole second. Wallace flied out to Musil in the right field fence for a home run and two runs were scored. Reischman closed the inning by hitting to Fitzpatrick and the latter threw the runner out at first.

Lowell got another run in the fourth inning. Cox flied to Reischman. Venable hit to Billet who threw high and the runner went to second. [illegible] hit to Hoff and reached first on error while Venable went to third. Fleming scored Venable with a single to center field. Musil was third out on an easy fly.

Lynn scored two more runs in the fifth inning. Hamilton hit to Fitzpatrick and was out at first. Zimmerman hit through Fitzpatrick and got on first. He stole second. Wallace hit to centre field for two bases scoring Zimmerman. Reischman sent Wallace to third with a single and when Foster hit to Unlac, Wallace scored on the play. Fullerton hit to Venable forcing Foster at second and Burg was thrown out, Unlac to Cox.

Lynn scored another run in the sixth inning the ball being sent over the right field fence for a home run.

In the latter half of the inning Ball got a three bagger but could not score.

Lynn got two more in the seventh on hits by Wallace, Reischman, and Foster with a sacrifice by Fullerton on the side. In the 8th they made it two more.

Wallace walked and stole second, coming in a moment later on a drive to right by Reischman. Foster hit to far right, advancing Reischman to third. Fullerton went out at first, and Burg scored Foster by a hit to center.

In the second half of the ninth, Howard hammered the ball over the right field fence for a homer, and the game ended with the score 11—3.

The score:

LYNN

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Page, 2b	5	2	2	3	1	0
Hamilton, cf	5	0	2	3	0	0
Zimmerman, rf	5	2	1	0	0	0
Wallace, lf	3	4	3	1	0	0
Reischman, 1b	5	1	3	12	0	0
Foster, c	5	1	3	5	1	0
Belger, 3b	1	0	0	0	2	0
Burg, ss	5	1	3	2	4	1
Hoff, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
Fullerton, 3b	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	39	11	17	27	12	1

LOWELL.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Unlac, ss	5	0	2	3	2	0
Fleming, rf	5	0	2	0	0	0
Howard, cf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Fitzpatrick, 2b	5	0	1	5	3	0
Cox, 1b	5	0	0	13	2	1
Venable, 3b	3	2	1	3	3	0
Ball, lf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Boyle, c	4	0	1	1	4	0
Blanchard, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Musil, p	3	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	38	3	10	27	19	1

Lynn	0	0	4	0	2	1	2	0	2	—11
Lowell	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	— 3

Two base hits—Zimmerman, Wallace. Three base hit—Ball. Home runs—Wallace, Page, Howard. Hits—Off Blanchard 5 in 3 innings; off Musil 12 in 6 innings. Sacrifice hits—Ball, Hoff. Stolen bases—Page 2, Zimmerman 2. Double plays—Hoff, Foster and Reischman. Left on bases—By Lynn 7, by Lowell 12. First base on balls—By Musil 2, by Hoff 2. First base on errors—Lowell 1, Lynn 1. Struck out—By Blanchard 1, by Hoff 4. Time—2.02. Umpire Buckley. Attendance—300.

DIAMOND NOTES.

All the owners of the Lowell team were at the game yesterday and so were Jimmie Gray and Patsey Donovan, the latter being scout for the Boston Americans and formerly manager of the Pittsburgs.

Unlac is playing the kind of ball that makes the fans happy.

The Lynn team is drawing big crowds to Ocean Park. Why not? Billy Hamilton is manager.

Mr. Beckwith, the Lynn Item's celebrated cartoonist, and Mr. Penniman of the Lynn News accompanied the team to this city yesterday. Both were much interested in the home of the "annual wash."

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Detroit	17	8	68.0
Boston	15	8	65.2
New York	15	9	62.5
Philadelphia	14	9	60.9
Chicago	11	15	42.3
St. Louis	10	14	41.7
Cleveland	9	15	36.0
Washington	6	17	26.1

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

At Detroit—Boston 3, Detroit 2.
At Chicago—Philadelphia 7, Chicago [illegible].
At Cleveland—New York 4, Cleveland [illegible].

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	18	9	66.7
Chicago	17	12	58.6
Philadelphia	12	12	50.0
Brooklyn	12	13	48.0
Boston	12	14	46.2
New York	11	14	44.0
St. Louis	13	17	43.3
New York	10	14	41.7

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

At Boston—St. Louis 3, Boston 1.
At Philadelphia—Chicago 3, Philadelphia 2.
At Brooklyn—Pittsburg 2, Brooklyn [illegible] (10 innings).
At New York—Cincinnati 4, New York 2.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Haverhill	12	7	62.2
Lynn	11	7	61.1
Fall River	11	8	57.9
Worcester	11	8	57.9
Brockton	10	9	52.6
New Bedford	8	10	44.4
Lawrence	7	12	36.8
Lowell	5	14	26.4

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS

At Lowell—Lynn 11, Lowell 3.
At Haverhill—Worcester 3, Haverhill 1.
At Lawrence—Brockton 2, Lawrence 0 (13 innings).
At New Bedford—Fall River 15, New Bedford 9.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

Arthur Earley, who, with a team of excellent ball players, playing under the name of the Mathews, won the championship of the city from the Sanctuary choir aggregation last year, is forming a team this season and in all probability will accept the challenge of Manager Queenan of the Shamrocks to play a series of games to decide the title. He expects to have practically the same line-up as last year, and has changed the name of his team. This season the erstwhile Mathew team will appear on the diamond under the name of Lowell Americans, which name it played under several years prior to the formation of the Catholic league which it entered and adopted the name of Mathews. If negotiations are completed, the contests will be played at Washington park, the first of the series being played May 31.

The Young Lowells would like to play any team under 12 years of age for a quarter ball. We will play the Fulton A. C. Saturday afternoon, if it isn't afraid for a quarter ball. Send all challenges to "Duckie" Cannon, 341 Lakeview avenue, or P. Reid, captain, 51 Front street.

The Lowell Cubs will challenge any team in and about Lowell at the age of 14, for a quarter ball. We will pay the Leroys Saturday afternoon on our own grounds if they are not afraid of losing a quarter ball. We have some very fast scouts. Nothing gets by us but wind, and it has to go some to do it. Please send me, the captain or manager of the Leroys to arrange a game. Send all challenges to Capt. and Mgr. McCann, 7 Hampshire place, Centralville. Our lineup is: J. McCann c, J. Sullivan p, W. O'Brien 1b, F. Graham 2b, F. Lacey ss, J. Eastman 3b, C. Nugent lf, L. Greenhalge rf, T. Magrail cf.

The Fulton A. C. would like to play any team in the city under 12 years of age. Our lineup is as follows: W. Hogan c, L. Cart p, W. Hart 1b, W. O'Brien 2b, J. Thompson ss, J. Sargent 3b, G. Eastham lf, J. Mulvey cf, F. J. Larkin rf. E. Hart is our mascot. Send all challenges to L. Hart, 107 Fulton street.

The Altar Boys will play the Leroy's next Saturday afternoon on the South common at 2.30 sharp. This will be the second time the two teams have met, the Altar Boys defeating the Leroys last time by the score of 12 to 8. A red hot game is expected as both are first class teams. All games wanted with the Altar Boys should be sent through this paper or to R. Forgays, 184 South street.

The Wannalancits would like to challenge any team in the city under 11 years of age, the Crystals preferred. We beat the Young Textiles 10 to 9 two weeks ago. Our lineup: F. Lambert, c or ss; J. Furey, p; J. Cullen, 1b; T. Reardon, 2b; E. Furey, 3b; E. Lambert, ss or c; H. Peters, rf; D. Martin or J. Hessian, lf; T. Lelmore, cf. Send challenges through this paper.

The Union Blues would like to challenge any team under 13 years of age. Send all challenges to Harold Forgays, 184 South street, or through this paper.

The McNabb Pets would like to play any team under 11 years of age in the city. Our lineup is as follows: W. Carrigan, c, E. Conner, p; F. Shanahan, 1b; W. Newhall, 2b; G. Morris, 3b; J. Ringwood, ss; L. Whelton, cf; J. Quinn, rf; H. Bolan, lf. Jimmy Carrigan will wipe the sweat off the bats and Harold Brown will carry water. Honey Boy is our mascot. Send all challenges to W. Newhall, 1 Marion street. We would like a game from the Starters for Saturday morning.

The Ayer City team, which is composed of some of the best talented ball players in the city, is now ready to meet any independent nine in town. The team has played several games and came out on top in each contest. Manager Gill says that the past contests were like taking candy from a baby and that he would like to meet a team that would give his men a run for their money. The manager may be found any evening at the corner of Lincoln and Main streets or at his residence in Lincoln street.

The Sacred Hearts would like to arrange games with local teams under 13 years of age. Address replies to F. Kneafsey, London street.

The Mysteries would like to arrange a game for Saturday, May 22, with any strong 13 year old amateur team in the city. Here is the lineup: Mullen p, Riley c, Bancroft 1b, Toohey 2b, Mullarkey ss, Mann 3b, O'Hara cf, Hutchinson rf, Foster lf. Send all challenges to Riley, 12 Stanley street. We are not afraid to go away from our own grounds. Now get ready, for we are going to clear the road.

Pres. Maguire of the Musketaquid club would like to meet the managers of the following teams at the boathouse in Billerica street tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock: Carson A. C., Eagles, Richmonds, Avons, Hawthorns, Parkers, Indians 2d. It is the intention of Mr. Maguire to try and form an amateur league and if the proposition is agreeable to all the opening games will be played Saturday.

"Sally."

SPORTING NEWS

Arrangements have been made to run five special trains from New York to [illegible] Pennsylvania railroad to Philadelphia tonight, when Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion, will box six rounds with Jack O'Brien at the National A. C. No heavyweight contest since the Johnson-Burns affair in Australia last December has caused so much interest in the sporting world. It will be Johnson's first appearance in the ring since he won the world's title from Tommy Burns in 14 rounds [illegible] Stanley Ketchel to be [illegible] last October, after which he received word from Jeffries that the latter would fight him next year. Johnson has by far the most school about Philadelphia before the public today. There is much doubt as to his right to be called a first class heavyweight pugilist, and O'Brien regarded as the most effective white boxer in the world, is among the doubting ones. Six rounds do not provide much of a test, it is true, but as O'Brien is a whirlwind and Johnson is believed to possess remarkable science this bout bids fair to be a clinker if it is on the level.

Persons who have seen O'Brien within the last three days say that he is in remarkable physical condition. They insist that he has trained harder for this bout than for any previous affair in the ring and that he honestly believes he will take Johnson's measure decisively. O'Brien is not a slugger in the strict sense of the word, but he can punch with plenty of power—so much so that he had Ketchel reeling around the ring at the end of the sixth round in their recent fight in this city. For that reason and because of his phenomenal speed in attack O'Brien is telling his associates that he may succeed in getting home a wallop on a vital spot. It is conceded on all sides that Johnson is much slower in attack and defence than O'Brien and that if he is not in the finest possible condition he may have his hands full. It is predicted that the big negro will be satisfied to stand flat footed and pick off as many of O'Brien's jabs and swings with his long reach as possible, but it is not believed by good judges that Johnson will outpoint the scientific Quaker when boxing at long range.

Johnson's best work is done at close quarters and O'Brien is well aware of the fact. It is the prevailing opinion therefore that O'Brien will put up the same kind of a fight that Jim Corbett did in his 23 round mill with Jeffries at Coney Island, when in the early rounds he made the big boilermaker look like a cigar sign. Johnson is booked to sail for England in about ten days and is particularly anxious to trim O'Brien, for a defeat at the latter's hands would go a long way toward convincing the British sporting public that Johnson dodged the fight with Langford in London on May 24 because of cowardice. New York fight fans were inclined to make O'Brien a slight favorite while discussing the match recently, and it is a cinch that Philadelphia fans will show a desire to place their coin the same way. Johnson says he will weigh 205 pounds when he gets into the ring, about 35 pounds more than O'Brien's weight. There will be no decision by the referee, so that the result will be left to experts at the ringside.

Freddie Welsh, the English lightweight, will have another chance to prove his right to a match with Battling Nelson when he hooks up with Jack Goodman in a ten round bout at the Fairmont A. C., New York, next Friday night. Welsh has enjoyed a much needed rest since his recent bout with Johnny Frayne and says he will put up a much better argument. Welsh will take Phil Brock of Cleveland on for twelve rounds at the Armory A. C. in Boston, next Tuesday night at 133 pounds, scaling at 2 o'clock, more than seven hours before ring time.

The Cleveland club has purchased the release of Infielder Neal Ball of the Highlanders and he will report to Manager Lajoie at once. It is said that if Jack Knight does not fill the gap at second base that position will be turned over to Robert Vaughn, the Princeton college man, who will report to Manager Stallings on May 25. From all accounts the Highlanders have picked up a star in young Vaughn, who was signed in the nick of time, as Hugh Jennings was hot on the trail to land him with the Detroits.

The deal just closed by which the Chicago White Sox gave up Pitcher Altrock, First Baseman Donohue and Outfielder Cravath to Washington for Pitcher Burns is causing no end of talk in American league circles. It is charged that Owner Comiskey's friendship for Manager Cantillon cut an important figure in the transaction. Burns is said to be a coming left hander and his acquisition will give the White Sox a remarkable string of pitchers in Walsh, White, Owen and Scott. It is said that Comiskey could not give away Altrock and Donohue to any of the other American league clubs and that Cantillon turned down several big offers for Burns so that the latter could go to Chicago.

The most important stakes to be run at Belmont Park this week are the Ladies, for three-year-old fillies, on Thursday, and the Withers, for three-year-old colts, on Saturday. Looking over the list of eligibles it would appear that Maskette, James R. Keene's superb filly, has the Ladies at her mercy, while J. E. Madden's Fayette will have nothing much to beat in the Withers.

It was rumored yesterday that the meeting scheduled for the Empire City track in July might be transferred to Aqueduct because racegoers can enjoy cooler weather there than at Yonkers. It was said that P. J. Dwyer had received a proposition on this line and was inclined to accept it.

"Follow the Madden stable!" is the watchword among racegoers this spring. With Jack Joyner in England with the best of the Whitney and Belmont horses and with the Keene stable less formidable than in past years, the horses owned by Madden loom up in a formidable array. Because of his determination to remain loyal to the turf in this country it looks as if Madden stands an excellent chance to receive his reward. He has some splendid two-year-olds and Fayette is conceded to be the best three-year-old in training here.

It is said that since the recent victory of Sir Martin in England several big turf speculators here have placed a $15,000 commission to be placed on the Ogden colt's chances in the Derby. The money passed through a well known Wall street house on Saturday, it is reported. Sir Martin is a strong second choice at 11 to 2 and will carry a fortune to the post.

COLLEGE ROWING

Because of the change in time of the intercollegiate boat races at Poughkeepsie Wisconsin's crews will not leave for the Hudson until June 17 instead of June 12. The oarsmen will be able to take most of their examinations at Madison and no Badger member will have to make the trip east, as was the earlier plan. Instead of the regular coaches launch an [illegible] four power boat with a speed of eight sixteen miles an hour will be taken to the Hudson.

The Syracuse varsity crew will leave on May 19 for Annapolis to row against the navy on May 22. The Navy has beaten New York, Columbia and the Potomac B. C. crews for this year. It is good to win for the Navy boat club in some [illegible] at Annapolis.

There shouldn't be much to the race between Yale and the Potomac B. C. if the Elis are developing anything like it is said they are doing. The Potomac were beaten at least eight lengths by the Navy last week and lengths by the Navy second in a little and a half rowed in [illegible] 44 seconds by the winners. Yale crews have not so very good. Yale's crew of the [illegible] Glenny 2; Whitney [illegible] Baker, 5; Howe, 6; Van Horeum, 7, and Wallis, stroke, will average 174½ pounds, 2½ pounds more to the man than the Potomacs.

Penn's freshman boat which won from the Central crew by eight lengths in a mile and a half on the Schuylkill recently was made up of Bell, bow; DeLong, 2; Mulford, 3; Barrett, 4; Pryor, 5; Shoemaker, 6; Alexander, 7, and Reath, stroke.

It now is proposed by the manager of rowing at Washington that the rules adopted looking toward the formation of a Pacific coast rowing association should take effect in 1910. California is unwilling to join any association, but Stanford will come in.

They are having better weather now at Ithaca, and with the improvement in conditions the varsity boats have braced up greatly. It is not clear yet what Coach Courtney intends to do with his men after the junior varsity race at Philadelphia. He may keep right on with that junior boat if it does well in the American Henley and let the same men row nine days later against Harvard at Ithaca. After that he may make his selections for Poughkeepsie. It seems logical that he should use a combination which has been together for some time rather than count on nine days of work together of men selected from his varsity and junior boats, so-called.

HUGH McGANN

WAS KNOCKED DOWN SIX TIMES

PITTSBURG, May 19.—Six times last night Hugh McGann was down for a count of nine in a six round bout with Stanley Ketchel, champion middleweight of the world. Five times in the sixth round he was saved from a knockout by a second. Twice he was knocked through the ropes, once clear across the press table into the seats of spectators. Ketchel apparently toyed with his opponent and probably could have knocked him out had he tried hard. Only the cheering voices of his champions from the audience inspired McGann several times to get upon his feet again, after being all but knocked out.

For the first three rounds McGann fought hard and landed several times on the champion, but apparently he exhausted himself in the early rounds and could not face the powerful blows of his antagonist after the first half of the bout. No decision was permissible under the Pennsylvania laws.

Never before has so large an audience witnessed a boxing bout in Pittsburg. Six thousand persons crowded Duquesne Gardens, among them being men prominent in financial, political and business circles. Preceding the big fight three preliminary bouts were pulled off. Both Ketchel and McGann were in prime condition. Unusual interest was attached to the fight owing to the fact that Ketchel has a contract to meet Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion.

TO BUILD NEW MILL

TAUNTON, May 19.—Employment to nearly 350 additional hands, and additional capacity of about 60 per cent is provided for in the plans of the Corr mills, cotton manufacturers, announced here yesterday, of erecting a new weave shed. The proposed addition will add about 1000 looms to the nearly 1500 looms at present in the plant, making the total capacity about 70,000 spindles. The additional hands will bring the total number employed to $50.

Coincident with the announcement of the extension in operations was that of a departure in the line of production. Hereafter, the plant will manufacture the fine grades of cotton cloth, in addition to the lines which are made at present. Most of the new machinery will be used in the new work.

TO APPEAR IN VAUDEVILLE

NEW YORK, May 19.—Announcement was made yesterday that Mrs. William F. Annis, wife of the man for whose death Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., began serving a Sing Sing sentence yesterday morning, has signed a contract with the United Booking office to play piano accompaniments in a vaudeville sketch.

Mrs. Annis is quoted as saying that since she has been thrown on her own resources it was necessary for her to adopt some means of livelihood, and having musical talent the stage appeared preferable.

ANNUAL RECITAL

BY PUPILS OF MR. AND MRS. MARK PEASE

The sixth annual recital by the pupils of Mr. and Mrs. Mark M. Pease was held last night at Colonial hall. There was a good sized attendance of relatives and friends of the pupils as well as the lovers of piano and violin selections.

The following was the program carried out:

Violins and piano, Cavaleria Rusticana, Irene White, Ethel Sharrow, Camilla Scott, Florence Turner, Etta Murray, Helga Ohlsen, Augustus Dutton, L. T. Conley, John McQuade, William Stevenson, John Armstead, Alfred Warren, Herbert Mattinson, Willis Kirby, James Gilmore, John Gilmore, Chester Codding, Clifton Harrison, Jozef Cebula, John Allen, Harry Dupont, Roderique Gendreau.

Piano duet, Hunting Song.
Willie McGreevey and Mrs. Pease.

Piano solo, Nocturne.
Margaret Devine.

Violin solo, La Somnambula.
Herbert Mattinson.

Piano solo, Alpine Song.
Mildred Tinker.

Piano solo, Playful Waves.
Flossie Church.

Violin solo, Romance in F.
James Gilmore.

Piano solo, Valse Brilliante.
Ruth McCartin.

Violin solo, Serenade.
Ethel Sharrow.

Piano solo, Water Wheel.
Mary Murphy.

Violin solo, Trovatore.
Alfred Warren.

Piano solo, Joyfulness.
Helen McCartney.

Piano duet, Rosetta Mazurka.
Isabel Turnbull, Louise Durstheff.

Violins, Orchestra Des Marionettes, Advanced Pupils and Piano.

Piano solo, Mountain Bells.
Grace Warren.

Piano solo, Invitation au Galop.
May Brown.

Violin duet, Sounds from the Alps.
Ethel Sharrow, Mr. Pease.

Piano solo, Hearts' Springtime.
Lillian O'Brien.

Piano solo, Idylle.
Madeline Scott.

Violin solo, Polka.
Irene White.

Piano solo, Blushing Morn.
Mary Doy.

Violin, Invitation to Waltz.
Willie Kirby.

Piano duet, Red Top Polka.
Margaret McNenney, Mary McNenney.

Violin, Ballad, Mr. Those Endearing Charms.
John McQuade.

Piano, Song of the Woodman.
Edith Toy.

Hope March.
Violin, class and piano.

If You don't attend this sale you'll always regret it.

Gilbride's

MERRIMACK & PALMER STREETS

Our First Anniversary Sale is the talk of the town.

STORE OPENS AT 8.30 A. M. JOHN S. BACHMAN, Pres. JOHN J. BURNS, Sec'y MATTHEW SCOTT, Treas. STORE OPENS AT 8.30 A. M.

Thursday Morning at 8.30 O'Clock, We Start on the Second Week of the Great Anniversary Sale

Thursday will start an exceptional second week in the progress of our FIRST ANNIVERSARY SALE. Because it will introduce so many new things and so many fine values, it will be a day long to be remembered by the shoppers in our store. Good value is the corner stone on which we builded for this sale, high quality caps the structure, and on prices there's a hundred-pound pressure to the fractional part of each figure. IT'S THE CARNIVAL OF THE GIVING OF GOOD VALUES and here's a lot of evidence that will go to prove this—pure and simple.

PROMPT ACTION WILL ENABLE YOU TO SECURE THESE:

SPECIALS IN INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Children's Rompers, in blue mixed Gingham, 2 to 6 years.....19c
Children's Dresses, Galatea stripes and plains 45c
Children's Gulmps 50c
Girls' Percale and Chambray Dresses, Jumper and Gulmp styles, 6 to 14 years $1
75c and $1 Kimonas for this sale 49c
Good Muslin Kimona for 19c
Wash Dresses in two piece, made of good Percale 79c
Extra quality Percale 2-piece Wash Dress, well worth $1.25..$1
Two Piece Dresses of fine Gingham, in plain blue mixed, worth $2.98, for $1.95
Black Sateen Petticoats marked 69c for this sale only.
Seersucker Striped Petticoats 39c, worth 50c.
Heatherbloom Petticoats, $1.
All Silk Petticoats, guaranteed 3 months $2.98

SKIRTS, SUITS, COATS AND DRESSES

New Princess and Jumper Dresses, made of fine Chambray and plain linene, trimmed with piping, only $1.98
Jumper and Princess Suits, made of fine gingham, etc. $2.98
All-Wool Worsted Suits, $7.95. Come in Reseda, Brown, Navy and Wistaria, well worth $15.
$22.50 and $25 Suits, $16.50 and $18.50.
Fine assortment of Suits at $13.50.

UNDERCLOTHES

That will delight the heart of any bride. Every bride is glad of such things. Here is your opportunity during the second week of this sale.

Corset Covers, made of good cambric, trimmed with three rows of lace and ribbon run. Regular price 25c .....12½ Each
Corset Covers, handsomely trimmed with four rows of lace insertion and deep edge, two rows of ribbon run. Regular price 29c .....19c Each
Women's Drawers, made of fine quality cambric with deep hamburg ruffle. Regular price 39c .....25c Pair
Women's Long White Skirts, made of good quality cambric with flounce of tucks and hamburg edge. Regular price 75c 50c Each
Long White Skirts made of unstarched cambric with deep flounce consisting of five rows of lace insertion and edge. Regular price $1.50 .....$1.00 Each
Combination Corset Cover and Skirt, trimmed with lace insertions, edge and beading. Special value .....75c Each
Misses' Night Robes, made of good cambric, with yoke of hamburg insertion and edge. Regular price 50c .....39c Each

A Skirt manufacturer has sent us for the Anniversary Sale four special lots of White Skirts.

LOT ONE

White Skirts, good quality Nainsook, deep tuck flounce, lace or hamburg edge 50c

LOT TWO

White Skirts of fine Nainsook, with deep tucked flounce, regular price $1, in this sale 69c

LOT THREE

White Skirts, 15 inch hamburg flounce, $1.50 Skirts for.....$1

LOT FOUR

White Skirts, 18 inch flounce, five rows of insertion and edge, a $2.50 Skirt for $1.50

WAISTS IN THE ANNIVERSARY SALE

For 98c we will sell you a $1.50 Waist.
For $1.98 we will sell you a $3.00 Waist.
Panama Skirts, nicely trimmed, with three rows of taffeta, come in black, brown and gray mixtures. $1.98
Voile Skirts at $2.98
Black French Voile Skirts at.....$5.00
Raincoats at $6.95
Covert Coats, 54 inches long $7.95
Black Panama Coats $4.98
Coat of Scotch Mixture, 35 inches long.....$5.75
Coat of Scotch Mixture, 52 inches long $9.95

Now Is the Time to Buy Your SUMMER UNDERWEAR

Commencing the second week of our Anniversary Sale, just to celebrate, we offer:

Women's Vests, low neck, sleeveless, and lace trimmed, in all sizes, slightly imperfect, worth 12½c and 15c.....6¼c
Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests, low neck and sleeveless, silk finish with mercerized tape; seconds; regular price 25c, for 12½c
Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, with wide lace at knee, regular price 50c. Sale price..... 33c

MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Lay In a Supply at These Prices

Men's Fancy Colored Lisle Half Hose, Jacquard weaves, 25c quality .....15c Pair
Men's Black Maco Cotton Half Hose, double heel and toe, 15c quality .....10c Pair
Men's Black and Tans, split soles, 25c quality. .....15c Pair
Children's Black Cotton 1-1 Rib Hose, double soles, heels and toes, 12½c quality .....6¼c Pair
Children's Medium Weight Black Cotton Hose, double heels and toes, 19c quality .....12½c Pair
Children's Egyptian Silk Lisle Hose, full fashioned, 25c quality .....19c Pair
Women's Fine Black Maco Cotton Hose, linen soles, double heels and toes, 29c quality .....17c Pair
Women's Fine Tan Cotton Hose, double soles, heels and toes, a special 15c quality .....8c Pair
Women's Silk Lisle Hose, double heels and toes, a regular 25c quality .....10c Pair, 3 Pairs for 50c

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

At Half Price in the Anniversary Sale.

Women's Plain Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular price 5c, in this sale 2c
Women's Embroidered Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, regular price 25c, in this sale 12½c
Men's Plain Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular price 5c, in this sale 3c
Men's Plain Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs, regular price 19c, in this sale 12½c

WOMEN'S FANCY NECKWEAR

The Prettiest Neckwear to be Had Anywhere.

New Fresh Dutch Collars, Jabots and Stocks, 25c and 50c designs 19c
500 Collars, Jabots and Stocks, 50c pieces, some 75c..... 39c
Linen Embroidered Collars, new designs, 19c and 25c values, .2½c

WHITE GOODS

In Plain and Fancy Weaves. None Such Ever Offered Before.

12½c 30-inch India Linen, very fine and sheer, new goods, only 8c
25c 30-inch India Linen, very fine and sheer, new goods, only 17c
15c Dotted Muslins, in 3 size dots, very good quality, only 9½c
15c extra fine quality of Sheer Dimities, in small, medium and large checks, with 1, 2 and 3 bars, only.....9½c Yard
37½c very fine and sheer Muslins and Batistes, in plaids with dots and mercerized figures, embroidered figures in white and some colored, will make handsome graduation dresses, and price only .....10c Yard
37c White Linen Waistings, 38 inches wide, real sheer and fine, only .....19c Yard

HEMSTITCHED AND FRINGED TABLE AND LUNCH CLOTHS

At Less Than Half Price

36 and 45 inch Square Fringed and hemstitched, all linen Lunch Cloths of German make, very fine quality, worth $1.25 each, only 49c
36 and 45 inch Square Lunch Cloths, fringed and hemstitched, very fine German quality, real value $2.00. Sale price only 95c each
$2.00 Hemstitched Cloth, size 2x2 yards, with Mexican drawn work, very fine, only $1.39
$2.50 Hemstitched Cloth, size 2x2½ yards, same as above, only $1.95 each
$1.00 Hemstitched Lunch Cloths, pure linen, of very fine quality, only .....75c each
$1.50 Hemstitched Lunch Cloths, pure linen, extra fine and handsome, only .....95c each

DECORATIVE LINENS

The most complete Fancy Linen Department in the state. We sell more Fancy Linens than any other store of our size in New England. We buy in large quantities. We import our own goods.

10c 9-inch Pure Linen Knotted Fringed Doilies, round, square, and oval .....2½c Each
10c 7-inch Square Doilies, hemstitched, with Mexican work, 2½c Each
25c 12 to 15-inch Knotted Fringed Pure Linen Doilies, 6¼c Each
50c 15 to 18-inch Hemstitched Squares, beautiful hand-drawn centres, for .....11c Each
75c 15 to 24 inch Hemstitched Squares, handsome centers of Mexican and Japanese hand-drawn work, fine quality linen, only .....39c Each
50c 30x30 Squares, 18x45 and 18x54 Scarfs, hemstitched, good quality linen, while they last, only.....10c Each
$1.00 18x45 and 18x54 Scarfs with handsome openwork, very fine quality of linen, never sold by any store less than $1.00, our price .....50c Each
50c, 18x54 Scalloped Edge Scarfs, extra fine quality and will give splendid wear, only .....19c each
18x54 Renaissance, 3 piece Scarfs, made of very fine braid and put together by hand, real value of this scarf is $1.49. Sale price 95c

TOWELS

15c Huck Towels, large size, extra good quality, only....8c Each
20c Huck Towels, extra size, German make, nearly pure linen, all white, only .....12½c Each
25c Huck Towels, good size, Scotch and German make, only 17c Each
20c Bleached Turkish Towels, double warp, extra size and heavy, only .....12½c Each
37½c Bleached Turkish Towels, double warp, real large size and extra heavy, only .....25c Each
Very Fine Quality Huck Towels, size 20 inches wide and 40 inches long, extra size, real value 17c, sale price .....10c each

TABLE LINENS

98c Table Linen, 72 inches wide, pure linen, heavy, of Scotch make, only .....60c Yard
$1.25 Table Linen, 72 inches wide, pure linen, extra fine and heavy, in Scotch, Irish and German makes.....95c Yard
$1.50 Table Linen, 72 inches wide, pure, fine, heavy linen, never sold less than $1.50 a yard, only.....$1.00 Yard
Napkins to match the above damasks at greatly reduced prices.

PATTERN CLOTHS

$2.50 Pattern Cloth, size 2x2 yds., 12 handsome designs, real good quality, only .....$1.95 Each
$3.00 Pattern Cloth, size 2x2½ yards, same as above in quality, only larger .....$2.45 Each
$3.50 Pattern Cloth, size 2x3 yards, same as above in quality, only larger .....$2.95 Each
Napkins to match in 20, 22 and 24 inches, at $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50 a Dozen

PURE LINEN NAPKINS

$1.25 Pure Linen Napkins, size 19 inch, of very good quality and design, only ..... 95c Dozen
$2.50 Pure Linen Napkins, size 20 inch, extra good value, only $1.95 Dozen
$3.25 Pure Linen Napkins, size 23 inch, very fine and heavy, only .....$2.50 Dozen

COTTON DIAPER

59c Best Quality Red Star Antiseptic Cotton Diaper, 18 inches wide, only .....39c Piece

SILKS AT ASTONISHING PRICES

69c Foulard Silk in all the newest up-to-date patterns, handsome neat figures and stripes. Choice .....39c Yard
69c Messaline Silk in all the latest shades. Black and white, splendid quality. Choice.....39c Yard
69c Rough Shantung Pongee Silk, 27 inches wide, all shades and natural color. Choice.....39c Yard
39c 27-inch wide, all colors, Seco Silk, beautiful waistings, only .....25c Yard
$1.00 27-inch Black Taffeta Silk. Beautiful rich lustre, only 69c Yard
$1.39 36-inch Black Taffeta Silk. High grade dress quality, only .....$1.09 Yard
$1.00 All Silk Shantung Pongee Silk for auto coats, summer dresses, seashore costumes and evening gowns. Beautiful range of colors .....59c Yard

DRESS GOODS

$1.00 Mohair Suiting, 44 inches wide, in neat blue and green blue and black, brown and green checks, very desirable for coats, suits or separate skirts, good value for $1.00, sale price .....19c Yard
50c and 59c Dress Goods for 39c. All wool Batiste, herringbone serges, chevron stripe suiting, black and white check serges in all the latest shades, for .....39c Yard

NEW WASH GOODS

At very attractive prices. Large purchase of desirable Wash Goods enables us to offer during our Anniversary Week some unusually good values.

6¼c Apron Ginghams, three size checks. Anniversary price 3½c Yard
8c Apron Ginghams, best quality, blue checks, only....5½c Yard
6c Light Prints, best quality, neat figures and stripes...4c Yard
6¼c Printed Batiste .....2½c Yard
12½c Ginghams, stripes and checks, best goods....7½c Yard
12½c best quality 36-inch Percales, light and dark....7½c Yard
12½c Dress Sateens in small, neat figures, only.....6¼c Yard
12½c new, up-to-date Printed Batiste in floral stripe, and neat little figures, dark and light ground.....6¼c Yard
25c Silk Muslins, plain and figured, handsome for evening or street wear. Special price only.....12½c Yard
25c Best Quality Soisette and Irish Poplin, in all the latest shades, plain and polka dot, only.....17c Yard
25c Imported Mercerized Ginghams, very handsome....15c Yard
15c 36-inch plain blue, red and pink Chambray, real fine, only 6¼c Yard

RUG AND CARPET DEPT.

68c Genuine Cork Linoleum.....44c Sq. Yd.
50c Heavy Quality Oil Cloth.....29c Sq. Yd.
5 more bales just arrived of Hodges' Fibre Carpet, drummers' samples, make nice rugs, worth 50c to $1.50, 15c to 79c Each
9-foot and 12-foot Rugs, worth up to $20.....$3.95 to $8.95
Large Bigelow Axminster Rugs.....$5.98 to $11.95
35c to 60c 1-yard wide Fibre Carpet.....19c

A FRESH SHIPMENT OF NEW GLOVES ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Just in time for the second week of our Anniversary Sale. This is the last chance you will have to buy Long and Short Lisle Gloves at these prices from present indications this season.

For 14c a women may procure two clasp Milanese Suede Lisle Gloves, Paris point backs, silk backs, pearl clasps, black, white and all the new Spring Shades. These gloves are perfect goods and the real value is 50 and 75c a pair.

For 25c you will find 12 and 16 button length fine Lisle Gloves, black, white and the new Spring colorings. Some of these gloves are worth $1.00 pair.

We are selling 2-clasp perfect fitting Kid Gloves, all sizes and all colors, a regular $1.00 Glove for 63c pair.

12 and 16 Button Chamois Gloves in natural and white, sold everywhere for $2.98. In this sale $1.19 pair.

DOMESTIC SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

9c yard wide Bleached Cotton, soft finish, good quality..5½c Yard
10c yard wide Bleached Cotton, all well known brands, such as Fruit of the Loom, Langdon, Hill and others, only..6¼c Yard
Good Quality Unbleached Cotton, only.....3c Yard
8c yard wide Unbleached Cotton, good and heavy, only..5c Yard
15c 42-inch Pillow Case Cotton, soft and fine, only....10c Yard
25c 9-4 Bleached Sheeting, fully 2¼ yards wide, only..19c Yard
23c 9-4 Unbleached Sheeting, real good quality, only..15c Yard
32c 9-4 Bleached Fruit of the Loom Sheeting, only.....25c Yard
35c 10-4 Bleached Fruit of the Loom Sheeting, only....27c Yard
17c 42x36 and 45x36 inch Pillow Cases, very heavy and bleached 12½c Each
39c 72x90 Good Quality Seamed Sheets, only.....29c Each
50c 81x90 Good Quality Seamed Sheets, only .....39c Each
75c 81x90 Best Quality Seamless Sheets, extra heavy 50c Each
$1.00 81x99 Best Quality Seamless Sheets, extra heavy 59c Each

DRAPERY DEPT.

Hemstitched Ruffled Sash Curtains.....12½c pr
Ruffled Battenberg Muslin Curtains .....41c pr
25c Scotch Muslin, 40 inches wide .....19c yd
$2.75 Scotch Madras Lace Curtains .....$1.98 pr
$5.00 Beautiful Braided Curtains, 4 patterns.....$3.00 pr
Sofa Pillows .....25c, 39c and 59c
50 drummers' samples of Couch Covers, full 60 inches wide, extra heavy, worth $2.25 to $4.75 .....$1.39 to $2.75

TOWELING BY THE YARD

12½c Pure Linen, red or white border Crash, made of pure flax and will give splendid wear, only .....7½c yd
17c Extra Heavy Pure Linen Crash, in white or red borders, only 12½c yd

A NEW LOT OF WOMEN'S BELTS GO ON SALE THURSDAY

25c and 39c Fancy Elastic Belts 15c
50c and 75c Fancy Elastic Belts 29c
$1.00 Fancy Elastic Belts 39c

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The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1908 was

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1909. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public

This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

The Wright brothers had to go to Europe to get the recognition which their genius deserves. Our government is slow to patronize the genius of her own citizens. Foreign governments offer far greater encouragement to inventors of flying machines.

SMOOT'S STATEMENTS QUESTIONED.

Senator Smoot seems to have some secret method not known to the other senators of telling the prices of imported articles, including razors. Perhaps he learns from the Mormon missionaries who are well acquainted with the low prices of Europe. When Smoot says that a good razor can be purchased for ten cents in the European market he is not stating the fact. Smoot's statements will not stand investigation.

POLICE BOARD HEARING.

The end of the police board hearings is in sight for which the people of this city have a right to be thankful. It has been a farce from the beginning, and so we presume it will be to the end. It has served to show, however, that no set of public officials in any city could make a more earnest effort to follow the letter of the law in the discharge of their duties than did the present board of police. If the board be disturbed the change will probably be like that of the charity board—for the worse.

THE SITUATION IN FRANCE.

France is confronted with a situation that is very serious. The spirit of discontent, if not mutiny and rebellion, seems to be rife among the masses. The false doctrines of socialism have free play and with the institution of religion either swept away or silenced the influences of socialism and anarchy will have an opportunity to do their work with comparatively little opposition. Perhaps the gravity of the situation is over-estimated, but it seems to forebode grave danger for the republic.

PUT BACK THE CLOCK.

President Taft is interested in the question of more daylight so that the people may have more time after work to spend in recreation.

The National Daylight association of Cincinnati has brought the matter to his attention and begs the cooperation of the national government in a movement to adopt the English method of puting back the clock so as to utilize a couple of hours daylight more than we do at present each day.

It is proposed to put the clock back two hours from May 1 to October 1 and then bring the time up to the present arrangement. The effect would be to get two hours earlier to work and except with the irregular, as much earlier to bed.

It is an arrangement that would be doubly beneficial in hot weather as it would throw a considerable portion of the day's work into the cool of the morning and allow time after work for visiting beaches or places where it is easy to keep cool.

WHERE SMOOTH PAVING IS NEEDED.

Over a year ago we referred to a petition then before the city government for the smooth paving of Worthen street from Merrimack street to Market. There were good reasons for urging smooth paving then and the same reasons exist still. There is a stable on the street, and as the paving is of badly worn cobble stones, the condition of the street must be very unsanitary, to say the least, as well as being very uneven for driving purposes. That street should be paved at least as far as Market street for the safety, the health and the convenience of the public.

But before it be smooth paved the sewer from Merrimack to Market street must be lowered, inasmuch as the blocks in the vicinity including the Associate buildings are as badly off in some cases as were the buildings on Merrimack square before the sewer in that vicinity was lowered.

Where a sewer is not low enough to do its work every heavy rain will cause a backing up into the basements adjoining with the result that goods are damaged and disease germs spread about to the peril of those who reside in the vicinity.

This is but a small job; it is a public necessity as property owners suffer for lack of proper sewerage. We are not sure that the city is not liable for damage done by its sewers after the authorities have been repeatedly warned of the danger and the inadequacy of the sewer. The city council should order the sewer lowered and then have that section of Worthen street smooth paved.

NORMAN MACK'S NEW MAGAZINE.

Norman Mack's new magazine, the National Monthly, is out, and if future numbers measure up to the standard of the first it is safe to say that the National Monthly will prove a real beacon light to the democracy of this country.

Norman Mack is the editor of the Buffalo Daily Times, a democratic newspaper of wide influence. He is also editor of the Buffalo Sunday Times and in addition to printing these papers Mr. Mack prints for a large number of newspapers as well as for his own, an illustrated magazine, a weekly output of about 700,000 which requires vast mechanical facilities. With such mechanical equipment, with the recognized ability and experience of Mr. Mack, there is every reason to expect that the National magazine will be a thoroughly able and up-to-date magazine, a reliable guide and authority on democratic issues in general. Mr. Mack in his prospectus states that he will not use his magazine to dictate candidates in either national, state or local affairs but will stand for the cleanest and best in party and in politics. The democratic party has been greatly in need of some such magazine. Bryan's Commoner does not answer the purpose because it is too much of a personal organ, and Mr. Bryan has been a dictator rather than a leader and guide.

We wish Mr. Mack's undertaking unbounded success. He will aid the cause of democracy if he keeps to the path he has marked out in the opening issue of his magazine. In the recent campaign the party was greatly handicapped for lack of support from a fair share of the newspapers of the country.

PRESIDENT ELIOT

Gives Up Place at Head of Harvard University

CAMBRIDGE, May 19.—Abbott Lawrence Lowell, who for the last ten years has been Eaton professor of the science of government at Harvard, assumed the presidency of the university today as the successor of Charles W. Eliot.

President Lowell took up the work of the direction of the university which President Eliot relinquished yesterday after forty years in office, without ceremony, the new head walking quietly to the president's desk on the second floor of University hall, where he plunged resolutely into a mass of correspondence.

Next October the university will formally inaugurate President Lowell.

The only change today, however, was that President Lowell had charge of the work of directing the work of the different departments of the university in place of former President Eliot. It is expected that within a short time, possibly at commencement next month, the Alumni of Harvard will show its appreciation of Mr. Eliot by presenting him with a fund sufficient to enable him to live with every possible comfort the rest of his life. It is said that the fund already amounts to over $130,000.

It is also expected that Harvard will confer the degree of LL. D. upon Mr. Eliot and probably make him a professor emeritus of some department.

COURT RESUMES

Judge Stevens on Bench Again Today

Judge Stevens resumed the bench in the supreme court this morning and the case of Wilder vs. Boston & Maine, an out-of-town case which was interrupted by His Honor's illness, was taken up and the medical witnesses for the plaintiff examined.

The case is that of Marie M. Wilder vs. Boston & Maine and her husband, George H. Wilder, vs. Boston & Maine, the wife suing for $20,000 and the husband for $10,000. Coakley and Sherman appear for the plaintiff and Trull and Wier for the defendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilder, who are residents of Somerville, in December, 1903, were passengers on a Boston & Maine train going from Springfield to Holyoke, when their train was run into by a freight train and both were injured, the wife's injuries being particularly severe.

The defendants admit their liability in the case and the case was heard on the question of damages. As there are about 20 witnesses for the plaintiff the case is likely to occupy another day at least.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

MONAHAN SHOT

During a Dispute in a Store

BOSTON, May 19.—William Monahan, 22, of 50 Sharon street, said to be a member of the Fellows street "Whyo Gang," was shot in the store of Harris Chilkowitch, 16 Northampton street, early last evening by the latter, during a dispute over a newspaper.

The brim of Monahan's hat saved his life, as it deflected the course of the bullet which, instead of entering the right temple, inflicted a surface wound.

Chilkowitch, who is 22 years old, is locked up at the East Lenham street station.

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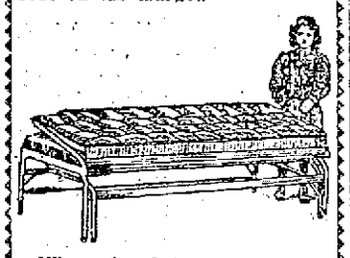

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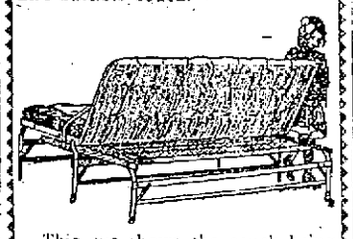
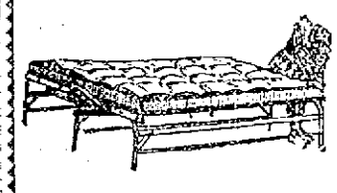


This cut shows the couch being transformed into a bed, giving a view of the National spring with which each bed is furnished.



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THE GROOM'S SON

Officiated as His Best Man

The marriage of Mr. Emery Cognac, manager of Marin's furniture store, to Miss Camilla Guimond, took place in the chapel of St. Joseph's rectory yesterday and had an unusual feature in the fact that the best man, Mr. Wilfred Cognac, aged 15 years, is a son of the groom by his first marriage, while the bridemaid, Miss Georgiana Guimond, a cousin of the bride, was a sister of Mr. Cognac's first wife. A nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. I. About a score of friends and relatives of the couple were present at the ceremony. The bride looked charming in an empire gown of white silk and lace, and carried roses. The bridemaid wore pale blue silk and carried sweet peas.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. Charles Guimond, 4 Butterfield street. Later in the forenoon Mr. and Mrs. Cognac left on a three weeks' tour to Montreal, Quebec and St. John. They will make their home in Lowell. They received many beautiful gifts, as both count a great many friends.

SUIT FOR $50,000

By J. J. Gray Against Connors Co.

John J. Gray, the well known Central street broker has brought suit against the Connors Construction company of this city for alleged breach of contract in the sum of $50,000, the attachment having been recorded at the court house this morning.

SENATOR ALDRICH OF RHODE ISLAND, LEADER OF FIGHT FOR HIGH TARIFF

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Senator Nelson W. Aldrich has surprised his colleagues by the wide range of his information on tariff schedules. Although the Rhode Island senator has long been famous for his intimate knowledge of national finances, his fellow members of the upper branch of congress had no idea that he was so thoroughly posted on the intricacies of tariff schedules. The tariff bill which bears the name of Representative Payne of New York and naturally has been labeled the Payne bill will go down in history as the Aldrich bill by reason of the fight that the senator has made for the restoration of schedules that the orginal measure sought to reduce. Senator Aldrich has met nearly every attack of the tariff reformers with exhaustive statistics to uphold his protection views. Even the maximum and minimum scale, which is baffling to the ordinary mortal, is readily elucidated by Senator Aldrich. His debate has been marked by the rarest skill, and his diplomacy has enabled him to restore many of the schedules that even a majority of his party leaders opposed.

GUILTY OF LARCENY

Man Was Ordered to Pay a Fine of $20

Floyd K. Myers, who also travels under the name of Martin J. Patterson and claims to be a real estate promoter, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Inspector John Walsh on a complaint charging him with the larceny of an overcoat and waistcoat valued at $15, the property of Frank Tryon, a former member of the Donna Seymour Stock company, which held the boards at Hathaway's theatre in this city for a couple of weeks.

In court this morning Myers entered a plea of guilty and was fined $20, to be paid within three days or be sentenced to jail for three months.

Myers and Tryon occupied different rooms in the Merrimac house and on Monday Myers took the clothing and sold it to a second hand clothing dealer in Middlesex street.

When Tryon was placed on the stand he said that he did not care about pressing the charge, but Judge Hadley promptly informed the complainant that he was not making the charge, that it was the police who were pressing the matter.

Myers, testifying in his own behalf, said he belonged in New York and was with a real estate company which sold suburban property in Long Island. He said that he had sold several pieces of property to local men. His reason for giving the name of Patterson, he said, was that the newspapers might not get his right name.

Rather Interesting Case

A confederate $5 bill played a rather important part in a case in police court this morning.

The case was that of William Lakos charged with the larceny of $4.90 and a package of cigarets, the property of Demetrios Pantazes. Pantazes, who keeps a shoe shining parlor, testified that on the 20th of December last Lakos entered his place of business and purchasing a box of cigarets offered him the confederate bill. He did not like the looks of the bill, but took it when Lakos said that it was a new series of money that was being issued by the treasury department. When he tried to work it off on some other person, however, he found that it was worthless.

Lakos denied that he had ever tendered the bill to the complainant. He was asked if he was willing to make restitution and promptly answered in the negative. He was fined $15, to be paid within three days or spend the next two months in jail.

Placed on File

George Tyrowyk pleaded guilty to assaulting Michael Prok, and the case was placed on file. J. Joseph O'Connor appeared for the defendant.

Simple Assault

John Desrosiers pleaded guilty to assault and battery on Arthur Morin. The assault was a trivial one and a fine of $1 was imposed. Desrosiers was represented by Daniel J. Donahue.

Defendant Dismissed

Costos Constouveris was charged with unlawfully removing baggage from a boarding-house conducted by George Zouvelos, but the case had not progressed very far when Judge Hadley ordered the defendant discharged, the government having shown no case.

Lectured by Court

Frank D. George, who entered complaint against his brother, Damino George, and failed to put in an appearance yesterday to press the matter, was brought into court this morning and severely lectured by the court. He said that some people told him that if he did not want to appear that the matter would be dropped. The rules of the court were explained to Frank and hereafter when he has any business in connection with the court he will undoubtedly put in an appearance.

Stole a Suit of Clothes

Napoleon Herie pleaded not guilty to a complaint charging him with the larceny of a coat, pants and vest and several other articles of wearing apparel, all the property of Manuel Miron. Edward D. McVey appeared for Herie.

Herie and Miron occupied a room at 62 Worthen street and when the latter went to the room about eleven o'clock Saturday night he found that his suit of clothes, shirts, underwear, suspenders and belt were missing. Herie was also missing.

Maurice Schuman, who keeps a second hand clothing store in Middlesex street, testified that Herie called at his place of business, said he was short of money and wanted to sell the clothes. Witness gave Herie $3.50 for the suit.

No defense was presented.

Herie was found guilty and sentenced to the Massachusetts Reformatory at Concord, appealed and was held under $500 bonds for his appearance before the superior court.

Disturbing the Peace

Henry Charette and George Maynard pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace and each was fined $3.

Heavy Sentence

Susan E. Waldron, a fourth offender who, appeared much the worse as a result of the over indulgence in liquor, asked to be given just one more chance. She was sentenced to five months in jail and appealed.

Parole Men

Cornelius O'Hearn, a parole man from the state farm, will be returned to that institution.

"Give me a year in jail, but don't send me back to the state farm," said Cornelius Sullivan who is a parole man. He will have to go back to Bridgewater, however.

John Burchard who claims Manchester, N. H. as his home, was fined $8.

Patrick V. McCarthy was sentenced to the state farm.

STREET DEPT.

Supt. Putnam Pushing Street Work

The street department is cleaning up all side issues in order to get in shape for the smooth paving jobs that are staring it in the face. One gang of about 30 men is at work on the Oakland sewer, filling in the big trench that was left open there. This trench had to remain open until more money was voted for sewer construction.

Another gang is at work on the Ayer City sewer. This sewer takes in Plain and Quebec streets and the Boston road, and is about 500 feet long.

Other street department gangs are at work in Woburn street, filling in where the culvert was widened, and in Pawtucket, Sawyer and Crawford streets, where preparations are being made for smooth paving, and a portion of Lawrence street is being repaved.

Agents representing street oiling preparations are paying their respects to Lowell almost every day. The last to arrive was the representative of a preparation known as asphaltoilene, and the fellow who tackled this preparation up and down and sideways is very anxious to send samples of the preparation for a trout. Like the representatives of all other preparations of a like nature, he claims that if property laid and maintained asphaltoilene secures a dustless, durable road at all seasons of the year and at less cost than water sprinkling.

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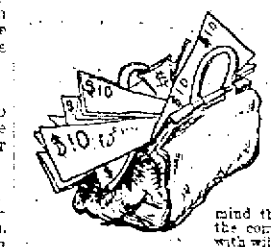

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GOT GOOD RATE

City Pays Small Price for Coal

BIG CONTRACT AWARDED MR. CAWLEY

Purchasing Agent Calls For Bids On Surface Stones and Paving Blocks—Smooth Paving Work to Begin June 1.

The contract for 2725 tons of hard coal for the lands and buildings department has been awarded Edward Cawley.

Lowell will pay less for coal this year than ever before in her history. Lowell made a much better rate this year than did Middlesex county. The bids for coal for this city and for the coal that will be used in county institutions in this vicinity closed the same day and Lowell bought cheaper than the county.

Purchasing Agent Mackenzie has just called for bids on surface stone and paving blocks for the streets that are to be paved including Middlesex street from Garnet street to the depot, Merrimack square and a portion of Bridge street.

Newell F. Putnam, superintendent of streets, said today that he expected to start the paving job in Middlesex street as early as the first of June. Mr. Putnam says that he will begin operations at Garnet street and work towards the depot. It would be impossible, he said, to tell when the Merrimack and Bridge street jobs will be reached.

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MANY MEETINGS

Committees Were Busy at City Hall

The committee on ordinances and legislation met last night. Among petitions considered was one that asked for the transfer of the care of all school yards and playgrounds in the city from the lands and buildings department to the park department.

Ald. Stevens stated that the park commissioners were desirous of accepting the care only of the Moody, Lincoln, Greenhalge, Riverside and Highland school grounds, and it was voted to recommend the ordinance with the amendment as suggested by the commission attached.

An ordinance asking for the establishment of a municipal free employment bureau was tabled on motion of Councilman Bondreau. The ordinance came from Mayor Brown.

An ordinance establishing the office of deputy of weights and measures, to be appointed by the mayor and aldermen was recommended. An ordinance asking for a regular tax of 10 cents each on all loads weighed, instead of having the price controlled by the weight, was recommended, as was also an ordinance asking that the street sales of papers be regulated by licensing the sellers, with the amendment attached that the return of 25 cents be made for the badge and license when it is turned over to the city.

Lands and Buildings

At a meeting of the committee on lands and buildings held last evening it was voted to recommend a loan of $4000, introduced by Councilman Spencer, for repairs and additions at the High school annex, Moody street, Green, Bartlett, Varnum, Cheever street and Lakeview avenue schools. The amount would also include the purchase of a small plot of land from the Lowell Baptist union to be added to the new fire house location.

Committee on Wires

The committee on wires met last night and voted leave to withdraw on petitions for pole locations in Waite, School, Ralph, Leverett streets and the Coburn school lot. Pole locations in Ware street were granted as were relocations in Westford, Chelmsford and Pine streets.

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SHANK BURNISHER wanted. Apply Stover & Dean, Thorndike st.

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DRESSMAKER WANTED who understands her business. Call at the Bon Ton store, 314-318 Merrimack st.

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EXPERIENCED WASHER wanted, one that holds license for boiler and engine. Apply Home Wet Wash Laundry, 117 Cambridge st.

EXPERT MAN wanted on rapid nailing machine. Call at the L. H. Spalding Co., Cor. Rock and Willie sts.

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ATTENTION—The state needs surveyors, rodmen and transit men. We have the up-to-date information on how to pass the examination, get in line and write today for particulars. P. O. Box 3528, Boston, Mass.

ATTENTION—Uncle Sam needs custom house, railway mail, post office and internal revenue clerks. Salaries from $800 to $1800. Write for free particulars of our course of preparation at the very lowest terms, examinations to be held soon. Address P. O. Box 484, Lowell, Mass.

YOUNG MEN WANTED to learn automobile business by mail and prepare for positions as chauffeurs and repair men. We make you expert in ten weeks; assist you to secure position. Pay big, work pleasant; demand for men great; reasonable, write for particulars and sample lesson. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y.

GIRL WANTED to do general housework. 26 Ware st.

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ALL 'ROUND FIRST CLASS PAINTERS, letterer and striper wanted. No others need apply. Apply 493 Chelmsford st.

100 GOOD CARPENTERS WANTED
Permanent employment to skilled mechanics. Apply 98 Weybosset st., Providence, R. I.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

HOUSE OF 8 ROOMS and pantry, one acre of land, for sale. Address Box 356, Chelmsford Centre.

AN INVESTMENT PROPERTY paying a big percentage on Arch st. for sale. Excellent corner lot and always rented. It will pay you to investigate this property. The price will be right. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

17 ROOM HOUSE near Dodge st. for sale. 3500 feet of land. A good property in a good location. Rents for $360 a year. Will sell for $4100. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

8 ROOM HOUSE with bath and furnace heat, near the court house, for sale. Could be made into investment property if desired. Will sell for $1500. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

10 ROOM HOUSE in Belvidere for sale. Bath and steam heat. Fireplace, set tubs, laundry. Excellent location. A substantially built residence. $5600. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE
Near School and Varney sts., good 8-room house and land. Price $2200
On car line, good 8-room house, one acre of land, lot of fruit. Price..$1250
In Dracut Centre, good two-story house, large barn, 1 acre land, lot of fruit. Price $1900
Near School st., 6-room house, and land in good repair. Price $900
In Chelmsford Centre, near cars, nice 7-room house, large lot of land. Price $1150
In Billerica, near electric cars, 5 acres land, good camp 16x16. This is a nice place. Price $400
G. L. HUBBARD
Telephone 2163 44 Central st.

WANTED

CLEANING, WASHING and SCRUBBING wanted by a reliable, woman. Best work done. Apply 282 Adams st.

CHILDREN WANTED to board in the country. Terms reasonable. Apply A. Nelson, Billerica Centre.

SMALL STORE wanted in a good business locality. Address C., Sun Office.

SEMI-INVALID wanted to board in private American family of adults. Good home. Best of care. Terms moderate. Address R. E. W., Sun Office.

SECOND HAND UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITER, in good repair wanted. Address, stating price, N. Y. Z., Sun Office.

BOARDERS and ROOMERS wanted at the Columbia, 179 Middlesex st.

TWO SMALL CHILDREN wanted to care for by the week. Address Mrs Williams, R. F. D., No 2, Lowell, Mass.

MISCELLANEOUS

DRINK GLORIA for health! Sold everywhere.

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MOTHERS—Demi's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair. Harmless. 25c only, at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 478 Merrimack st.

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED, badges and door plates made to order at Harry Gonzales, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 852-2.

LOST AND FOUND

BLACK FOX TERRIER DOG lost. Name C. A. Wilson on collar. Finder please return to 1 Hampshire st.

SMALL SUM OF MONEY found in pay envelope. Owner can have by calling at 7 Merrimack st., room 3.

BRINDLE BULL DOG, two years old, was stolen from West st. Sunday eve. Reward at 24 West st. and receive reward.

LOST—Purse containing pocketbook and bunch of keys between French and Bridge sts., or in vicinity of waiting room. Return to 61 French st.

GOLD PIN lost Sunday afternoon between Davis sq. and Mathews' hall, Dutton st. Reward for return to room 52, 287 Central st.

SMALL BLACK AND WHITE DOG found. Owner can have by calling at 33 Whipple st. and paying for this adv.

SOLID GOLD WATCH and chain, Elgin movement, lost in the vicinity of Chelmsford and Grand sts. Return to L. G., Sun Office.

TO LET

TENEMENT OF 4 ROOMS to let, hot and cold water, bath, set tubs, ash chute. Inquire 14 Carlton st., 4 in rear. Rent $9.

MODERN FLAT of 7 rooms, steam heat, open plumbing, hard wood floors, two piazzas, nice lawn, with or without stable. Inquire at 606 Westford street.

STORE TO LET cor. Broadway and Willie st. Inquire O'Brien's drug store.

STORE and TENEMENT of three rooms, 388 Lakeview ave., cor. West st. Inquire upstairs.

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HALF OF DOUBLE COTTAGE on Alder st. to let; cottage on Fifth st. Inquire of J. H. Monahan, 212 Merrimack st.

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let, pantry, rent, $11.00 at 44 Barclay st. Inquire Philip Schultz Furniture Co., 332 Middlesex st.

TENEMENT TO LET on Varney st. Key at 141 Mt. Vernon st.

TENEMENT OF 8 ROOMS, bath, pantry, hot and cold water, gas, electric light, cement cellar, rent $18. 57 South Whipple st. Wright Whitely, 730 Lawrence st.

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let, all modern improvements, pantry, wash room, bath and hot water. 25 Ware st., or Tel. 2121-2.

PHOTOGRAPH STUDIO to let at Lakeview for season of 1909. Inquire W. E. Maloney, Div. Supt., B. & N. St. Ry., Merrimack Sq.

GOOD, CLEAN TENEMENTS of 3, 4, 5 rooms each, to let, in nearly all parts of the city. Low rent. Apply to T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TENEMENT OF 4 ROOMS to let, $1.50 per week. Adults preferred. 22 Elmwood ave., off Bridge st.

TENEMENT OF 4 ROOMS to let, in Belvidere. Rent $5 month. Apply 468 Central st.

FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS, bath and set tubs, to let, 38 Branch st. Inquire of J. Shaw, cor. Branch and Nichols sts., or telephone 1467-2.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let at 207 Appleton st.

FLATS WITH 5 ROOMS, to let, hot and cold water, bath room, electric light, all modern conveniences, 177 Stackpole st., near Alder st. Apply 348 High st.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let. Inquire 219 East Merrimack st.

PHOTOGRAPH STUDIO, together with 4-room tenement and bath room, to let; all in first class condition, at the corner of West Sixth and Ennell sts., with entrances on both streets. Near St. Louis' church. Apply to Frank A. Hamelin, Tailor, cor. Cabot and Merrimack sts.

SUITE OF ROOMS in the Harrington building, to let. Three splendid rooms with large front room on Central st. Inquire at The Sun Office.

FURNISHED or UNFURNISHED rooms to let for light housekeeping. Steam heat, electric light. 75 East Merrimack st.

NICE TENEMENT of five rooms to let at 68 Chambers st. Apply at premises between 12 m. and 1 p. m.

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Suite of rooms in The Harrington building, 52 Central street, especially adapted for dress-making.
Three large rooms fronting on Central street. Inquire at The Sun office.

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GOOD, SECOND HAND CONCORD WAGON for sale. Inquire at Mackenzie's Carriage Shop, 592 Broadway.

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GOATS FOR SALE, two milch and seven bucks. Apply 6 Mt. Pleasant st.

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A RARE CHANCE—An upright piano but slightly used, to be sold at a greatly reduced figure. 101 Westford st.

SMALL GROCERY STORE for sale. Busily located, doing good, safe all round business, reason for selling, party leaving city. Inquire at Sun Office.

PARLOR SET, Brussels carpet and ice chest for sale, $15. Sacrifice. Rear 32 Franklin st.

DAHLIAS FOR SALE by the single root, barrel, horse or car load. Cannas, pansies and seed plants also first class name varieties. G. F. Carter, North Chelmsford.

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MEAT and PROVISION STORE for sale, in grand location; doing good business. The best of reasons for wanting to sell. Inquire at Sun Office.

FOLDING BED for sale, suitable for parlor. Price $20. O., Sun Office.

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EXPERIENCED BARBER wants work Friday afternoons and Saturdays, steady man. Address 30 Cabot st., room 11.

BAKER, first class, steady, all round man wants position. Address B. A. K., Sun Office.

SEAMSTRESS would go out by day. Terms reasonable. K. F. M., 55 E. Merrimack st.

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They who feed you right.

Stallion
The well known stallion, Lord Manor, one of the largest, best bred and best built horses ever seen here, will stand for six weeks, 1909, at Lawrence's, 657 Gorham st. Tel. 316. For catalog address A. Gladey, 537 Gorham st.

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MAY BE MURDER

Police to Investigate Man's Death

WEST RUTLAND, Vt., May 19.—Many of the elements entering into the complexion of an interesting murder mystery were noted last night in the case of Otto Sandstrom, a quarryman, whose body was found Friday morning lying in a foot of water near the car barn here. Although Dr. C. B. Ross, the town health officer, decided that the case was one of drowning and that an autopsy was not necessary, the state officials will today begin an investigation into the circumstances surrounding the young man's death. State's Attorney J. C. Jones of Rutland and Attorney General John G. Sargent of Ludlow will confer today regarding the advisability of exhuming the body, which has been buried. The interest which the authorities are taking in the case is due largely to the efforts of Miss Esther Anderson of New York, a cousin of the dead man, who came here for the funeral on Sunday, and was not satisfied with the verdict of "death by drowning." Undertaker C. H. Campbell, to whose rooms the body was taken, stated last night that a large swelling was found on the man's stomach, such as might have resulted from a kick or a blow, and could have caused death. He also said that in his opinion Dr. Ross did not extract a sufficient quantity of water from the man's stomach to substantiate the verdict of drowning.

Sandstrom, with his cousin Sadie Anderson and another quarryman went to Castleton Thursday night. Sandstrom left the other two men and went home alone. He left a trolley car at Whipple Hollow about a mile from where his body was found. The conductor stated yesterday that he was not intoxicated. A boy, returning home that night, heard cries and moans, and in the morning found the body. The man's hat was found more than 100 yards from the pool, yesterday, and the sole and heel of one of his shoes was also found some distance away. These facts, together with other minor details led the investigators to the belief that a struggle occurred. Robbery as a motive is dispelled by the finding of the man's watch and a small sum of money in his pockets.

Sandstrom is survived by four brothers, one of whom, Simon Sandstrom, lives in New York.

SEC'Y. DICKINSON

ARRIVES IN THE MAYFLOWER AT HAVANA

HAVANA, May 19.—The United States converted yacht Mayflower arrived here last evening with the American secretary of war, Jacob M. Dickinson, aboard. Edwin V. Morgan, the American minister, James L. Rodgers, the American consul general, and Capt. Ryan immediately went aboard the Mayflower to pay their respects to the secretary.

A SENSATION

IN THE ALLEGED TOWN LOT FRAUD CASES

TULSA, Okla., May 19.—Sensational allegations concerning the official conduct of Sylvester R. Rush, special assistant to the attorney general, and U. S. District Attorney Gregg of the northern district of Oklahoma, were made in two petitions filed in the federal court here yesterday in connection with the Muskogee town lot fraud cases.

One petition is signed by nine members of the grand jury that was discharged on Saturday last by Judge Marshall upon the motion of District Attorney Gregg, who asserted that the jury had been subjected to improper influences. It refutes this charge and in turn makes allegation against Messrs. Gregg and Rush. It alleges misconduct before the jury, efforts to intimidate and coerce the jury to return indictments against Gov. Haskell and the other defendants, regardless of and contrary to proof presented, and petitions the court to investigate the jurors' allegations.

The defendants also filed a response to the motion of District Attorney Gregg disputing the charges of improper influence. This response alleges that Gregg has used the Tulsa World, of which he is stated to be part owner, to mould sentiment, and to prejudice the court and grand jury against the defendants; that he stated that he was after Haskell and associates and that no one else would be prosecuted; that he stated that he was a personal enemy of William T. Hutchings and would send him to the penitentiary at all hazards; that Gregg's partners in the Tulsa World had stated to a prominent Tulsa man that it was a political prosecution started by William R. Hearst and Theodore Roosevelt against Gov. Haskell.

YESTERDAY AT AUCTION

Yesterday afternoon James Warner as commissioner for the estate of Jacob Ames sold, through J. E. Conant & Co., the tenement property numbered 20-22 Fifth street, to Alice Needham, for $2200; it was assessed for $3200. Immediately following this sale the dwelling house property numbered 31 West Fifth street was sold to E. P. McKeon, for $3350; it was assessed for $3450. There was not the slightest lack of interest in either sale. Both properties were sold at the appointed minute. There were more than half a dozen purchasers for each lot, but neither lot was sold until after much active competition.

BIG FRESH AIR CAMP

ATHOL, May 19.—For the benefit of children from the crowded tenement districts of Boston, there will be conducted here during the coming summer the largest fresh air camp in the world. The project is being furthered by the Morgan memorial of Boston.

In connection with the camp there will be conducted a fresh air farm which will be looked to for nearly all the supplies of food to be used at the camp. An isolation camp, with trained nurses in charge, will also be maintained to guard against any outbreak of disease. It is planned to give the campers an opportunity to assist the work by conducting a rug-making industry.

EASTERN LEAGUE MEETING

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 19.—A meeting of Eastern league club owners was held here last night to modify the rule adopted last winter limiting club membership to fifteen after May 15. Some of the clubs found it impossible to comply with the rules. It was finally agreed, after four hours' debate, that each club should be allowed 18 able-bodied men, that is, that bona fide illness or accident to a player or players would be considered sufficient excuse for a corresponding increase in the numerical playing strength with salary limit extension to correspond. President O'Brien of the American association was called on the long distance telephone at Milwaukee and acquiesced in the action taken.

Hair Humbugs

How many readers of this paper have been humbugged with either worthless or dangerous preparations for the hair? How many of you have one more hair now than you had before you used them? There is just one thing needed in treating the hair more than any other thing, and that is *cleanliness*. You don't wash out of your scalp and hair the dandruff, dirt, dust and disease germs as fast as they appear. Scales form on your head, the pores become clogged, and the first thing you know the hair falls out. Sooner or later baldness is bound to result. Plain soap won't do, because plain soap leaves your hair and scalp dry, and that is bad. Use Birt's Head Wash, and your head will *feel* cleaner and *be* cleaner than ever before in your life. Your hair will be silky and lustrous, and you will wonder what's in Birt's Head Wash to make it do so much good. And the best of it is we tell you. Here are the ingredients: Refined Soap, Glycerin, White of Eggs, Cochin Cocoanut Oil and Salicylic Acid. Ask your doctor what he thinks of this formula. Price 50 cents.

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IT is for you to decide how important shall be the ailments which are bound to come. Most of these are little at first and easily cured. If they last, though, or keep coming—they will rob you of your strength and make you liable to become easy victims of the disease germs always ready to attack.

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You'll find them everywhere, in boxes at 10c., 25c., with full directions.

SPRECKELS HEARD

HE TESTIFIED IN CASE AGAINST PRES. CALHOUN

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Interest in the trial of Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railroads, revived to an extraordinary extent yesterday because of the appearance on the witness stand of Rudolph Spreckels, financial backer of the graft prosecution.

On cross-examination Mr. Spreckels said Ruef had visited his office three times between 1901 and 1906.

"I recollect in particular," he said, "one interview with Ruef that called to my attention the need of an investigation. Ruef came to my office and suggested that I get up a syndicate to bid on municipal bonds about to be issued. He promised that bids would be succeeded by a strike. I was horrified by the suggestion.

"Ruef assured me that the bid of the syndicate would be accepted," said Mr. Spreckels, "and he would guarantee that we would not have to bid above par for the bonds. I asked him how this could be done and he said 'that's a simple matter. You know my connection with the labor union people. When the bids are about to be submitted we will have the biggest strike this town ever saw. I will tie up everything including the street railways. Then I'd like to see any of your capitalistic friends, except those in on the know, submit bids for these bonds.'

"I asked Ruef if he really intended for the sake of making money, to bring on a strike that might result in bloodshed, and he said he was only joking. But his face flushed and he withdrew from my office."

CATHEDRAL STONES CRUMBLING

COLOGNE, May 19.—The stones of Cologne cathedral are crumbling rapidly, and repairs costing millions and requiring years are necessary to save the famous edifice, according to a report by the architect, who was appointed to examine the structure. There is, however, no immediate danger to the structure.

GOT A DIAMOND

FIRST BASEMAN COX REMEMBERED BY REVERE FRIENDS

Chris Cox, first baseman of the Lowell team, was presented with a diamond when he went to bat in Lynn Monday. The stone was the gift of friends in Revere.

GEORGE MEREDITH

GOT FIRST REWARD AND CREDIT FROM AMERICA

LONDON, May 19.—The British public and press are making ample atonement on the death of the foremost English novelist, for any neglect he suffered during his lifetime. Not even the death of Swinburne, called out such universal warm tributes of admiration and affection as that of George Meredith. The death of the novelist is felt as a more intimate personal loss than that of the poet.

The body lies in a simple bedroom of the modest cottage at Boxhill, which had been his home for the past forty years. In the folded arms is a garland of roses, the gift of his two young granddaughters, while on either side of the narrow bed are sprigs of white bean and other favorite flowers, from the garden and the hillside that he loved, placed there by his daughter.

The novelist was conscious practically until the end which he knew was approaching.

According to an interview, his daughter, Mrs. Sturgis, said that so far as she knows her father left no instructions with regard to the disposition of his body, but he had often expressed a wish to be cremated. His end, she said, was quite peaceful and due entirely to his advanced age, but was hastened by a cold which he contracted a few days ago.

With regard to the rumors that Mr. Meredith had been engaged on a work for posthumous publication, Mrs. Sturgis said there was no foundation for the report. She believes that he left no manuscripts of any importance, having given up writing during the last decade. She admits that he felt keenly the long public neglect of his writing. He forgave but never forgot it. He was always glad, however, to remember that it was America that first gave him due reward and credit.

Premier Asquith, Lord Morely, Whitelaw Reid, the American ambassador, and many others have sent messages of condolence. J. M. Barrie came in person to the house to express his sympathy.

According to the present arrangements, the body will be cremated and the ashes buried at Dorking, where his wife's body is interred, on Saturday. Lord Morely, War Secretary Haldane, J. M. Barrie and many other prominent men will attend the funeral service.

HAS SPINAL MENINGITIS

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 19.—Charles E. Hughes, Jr., son of Governor Hughes of New York, a senior at Brown university, was taken to the Rhode Island hospital late yesterday afternoon suffering from a severe attack of cerebro spinal meningitis. Governor Hughes was notified of the condition of his son as soon as the young man had been removed to the hospital. Over-study is supposed to have brought on the trouble.

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Bargainland Items

Ladies' and Misses' Raincoats, made of rubberized materials. Regular $3.95 and $4.98 values at ..... $2.39--$2.98

Ladies' Gingham Skirts in blue and white stripes. Worth 29c, at 21c

Infants' Bonnets made of silk, in white, pink and blue. Regular value 75c and 98c, at 39c

Extra Values in Kimonas

Long Crepe Kimonas in Japanese, pink, lavender and blue colors, at $1.95

Long Crepe Kimonas in pink, lavender, blue and red. Regular value $1.25, at 95c

Short Kimonas in a variety of colors. Regular value 98c, at 47c

Ladies' Gingham Aprons, full size. Worth 50c, at 39c

Ladies' Breteile Aprons. Worth 59c, at 39c

Ladies' Gingham Aprons. Worth 19c, at 10c

"Extra Specials" for Thursday

Swift's Pride Soap

Best laundry soap manufactured. This is your opportunity, housekeepers. Only ten bars to a customer. Odinarily sold at 5c a bar..... 2 1-2c Bar

For Thursday Only at 10 Bars for 25c

Indigo Blue Wrappers

Big lot of indigo blue wrappers, just in. Worth 89c. After Thursday price will be 50c.

Buy Them Thursday at

49c

Bargainland Items

Ladies' Dotted Swiss Aprons. Worth 25c, at 19c

Ladies' Cross Bar Muslin Aprons. Worth 25c, at 19c

Infants' Short White Dresses, made of Batiste, at 47c

Infants' Long White Dresses, made of batiste, at 95c

Children's Jumper and Dutch Collar Dresses, made of gingham and chambray, at 95c

Children's Plain and Russian Style Dresses, made of gingham and chambray, at 47c

Children's Dresses, made good cotton print, at 24c

Children's Straw Hats, broad brim, fancy bands, at 19c

Boys' Straw Hats, made of split straw, at 19c

Boys' Beach Hats, made in blue, tan, white and green, at 15c

Boys' Wash Suits, 3 to 8 years, made in sailor and Russian styles, all colors. Worth $1, $1.25, $1.50, at 49c

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WOMEN'S DRAWERS

Including Knickerbocker and Isabella Styles Not. Cheap Grades for Sale Purposes, but Good Qualities at Popular Prices.

There are many low grade numbers on the market used for advertising purposes. We avoided that kind in preparing this event. We laid out a scale of prices we should provide for and we warrant in advance you will get exceptional values in these lots.

Lot 1—25c a Pair Lot 2—49c a Pair
Lot 3—75c a Pair Lot 4—98c a Pair

Any one of these lots is easily worth one-third more in the regular way.

More Than 200 Distinct and Attractive Patterns in

Women's White Skirts

Lace or hamburg ruffles, blind embroidery, handsome beadings, pretty ribbons, beautiful insertions. New models fitted close over hip. Every length from 37 to 44. Not a skimp or narrow model at any price.

25 Choice Styles at 98c each

And Every Between Price Up to $10 each

If you are a lover of pretty underwear and want to buy it under regular prices, this sale furnishes the opportunity.

THE O'DONNELL DRY GOODS COMPANY

QUILL WON BOUT

Jimmy Clabby Appeared to be Overrated

Huh! Gardner'll lick 'em both in the same ring." Such was the expression of the 100 or more Lowell sports who attended the Jimmie Clabby-Tommy Quill bout at the Armory club in Boston last evening.

But they weren't the only ones stung for the talent caught it hard and the Brockton bunch who had the nerve to take the short end went home with pockets bulging out.

Clabby came here from the west, it is believed, for the purpose of getting on again with Jimmie Gardner, having fought him a 20 round draw at New Orleans. But Jimmie must have been kidding him or laying back for a return match, for Clabby didn't show the class at all. Of course Clabby has an excuse. He says that he couldn't keep on his toes on the mat because it was slippery and it is a fact that he complained about the mat before the bout started, but nevertheless, he is not in a class with Gardner, judging by his work last night and that of Gardner in the two McKinnon bouts. Young Quill showed up well and is a man of great promise. He carried the fight to his much touted adversary about all the way and in the final round left no doubt as to his superiority. Twice he rocked the Milwaukee man in a manner that threatened to put him down and at no time was he in any danger himself. Clabby was perhaps a cleverer boxer than Quill, especially at infighting. But he made the crowd sore on him by holding and stalling throughout. He used a left jab about all the time and seemed to have no right at all. It is said in his behalf that he hurt his right shoulder which interfered with the use of his arm. In the clinches he had an amusing way of getting his right hand under and up to Quill's face, but it did no damage. The fine foot work for which Clabby was noted was not shown and this is accounted for by the excuse that the mat was slippery. It is probable that Quill and Gardner will be matched if Quill will take a chance. Before the bout it was a foregone conclusion that Clabby would win and then meet Gardner. In the semi-final Billy Rolfe got the decision over Young Jack Johnson by a very narrow margin.

Next week the final bout will be one of 12 rounds between Freddie Welch, the English champ and Phil Brock of Cleveland.

DAY NURSERY FESTIVAL

An unusually interesting feature is promised at the Friday night program of the Day Nursery festival to be held in Associate hall this week. Jordan S. Savithes, a prominent member of the Greek colony, has secured the services of several of his countrymen, who will give a national dance in costume. The Greeks of Lowell have been noted for their benevolence in aiding their own people during times of depression, and they desire to do this in order to help a worthy charity like the Day Nursery that is not conducted on either sectarian or nationality lines. They promise a feature that should crowd the hall, for it is only one of several numbers on an excellent program.

But don't wait until Friday before attending the festival. It opens tomorrow night, with 10 attractively decorated tables ready for business, waited upon by the prettiest girls in Lowell, and with a program that will introduce a large number of young people in costume. Here is the program, or enough of it to give you the idea:

Song, "I Wish I Had a Girl;" Scotch hornpipe; "Golden Bells;" Irish melodies and dances; "La Correlia;" sword dance; "In Slumberland;" "In Honey Land;" "Swing Song;" minuet; "Garden of Dreams;" song, "Whisper and I Shall Hear;" moth dance; song, "Meet Me in Rose Time." This program will be under the direction of Miss L. B. Perrin. The price of admission only 25 cents, and the money goes to maintain a worthy charity for another year.

PURITAN CHAPTER, O. E. S.

Mrs. Sarah E. Maxfield of 52 Warwick street was agreeably surprised on Monday night by the members of Puritan chapter, O. E. S. The occasion was the 70th anniversary of her birth and the members of the chapter did everything possible to make it a memorable one.

Mrs. Maxfield was presented a handsome parlor lamp, the presentation speech being made by Mrs. Nettie M. Roberts. She also received many other presents, including many bouquets of flowers. There was singing by Mrs. F. L. Roberts, Mrs. Harriet F. Shirley, Miss Lillie Dunn, and in fact by all who were present. Refreshments were served, and the party broke up at a seasonable hour.

About 20 members of the order attended the convention of the grand chapter of the order which was held last week in Boston. Delegates were present from all parts of the state, and much business was transacted.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The picture show is the show for warm weather. One gets a program of reasonable length in a cool and comfortable theatre for a low price of admission at the Academy, the biggest picture theatre in Lowell. The shows are on from 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 30, with a continuous show on Saturday. Each program consists of four reels of new moving pictures, changed three times weekly, two illustrated songs and a series of views of the world known as Travelettes. The price of admission is but five cents and that includes a good seat. Reserved seats are five cents extra.

STAR THEATRE

Albert Leroy of Montreal, Canada, has been engaged by the management of the Star theatre to render three of his notable songs in French at the theatre tonight. They are as follows: "O Canada," "Bornjour Mimi" and a laughing song.

Hundreds were entertained by the large number of amateurs last night.

New motion pictures were shown in conjunction with the two new vaudeville acts presented by Miss Nina Lester, acrobatic maid, and John A. Philbrick, blackface comedian.

Two new vaudeville acts will be seen Thursday, Friday and Saturday. There is, too, the big regular show of talking pictures, motion pictures, illustrated songs and renditions by the singing orchestra.

THEATRE VOYONS

Any musical feature heretofore given in a motion picture theatre has been surpassed the past week at the Theatre Voyons by the introduction of quartets, duets and solos by the very best local talent and that talent better than any that can be secured out of town. The orchestra has been increased by the addition of a 'cello and the sweet music of that instrument is very effective in the accompaniments. The musical features are not all that pack the house, performance after performance, but the pictures are so good that they too draw many patrons.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

GIFT TO NURSE

Haverhill Man Leaves Her $50,000

HAVERHILL, May 19.—A sensation is expected to follow the filing today of the will of Benjamin F. Hale, disposing of a fortune of nearly $500,000.

The sum of $50,000 is given outright to Mrs. Maude E. Short, a handsome matron, who served for four years as Mr. Hale's housekeeper and nurse. At about the time that Mrs. Short took charge of the Hale home Mrs. Hale was sent to an insane asylum in Providence, R. I., where she is still confined.

Arthur D. Veazey, the executor, is reported much incensed over the will, which he declares a slight on the widow and children.

The widow gets only the income of $75,000. Two daughters, aged 7 and 17 are to inherit the residue of the estate.

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HOLY HOUR SERVICE

The service of the Holy Hour will be held at St. Michael's church tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock. A special musical program will be rendered.

VAGARIES OF A COLD

In winter cold may settle in the bowels. In the summer it may give you colic or summer complaint. But don't fear appendicitis or inflammation of the bowels. At the first pain or cramp take Perry Davis' Painkiller in warm water and relief will come at once. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. A large 35c. size as well as the 50c. size.

The Bon Marché

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198 Merrimack Street, Opp. Kirk

THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1909

Our Great Summer and White Opening

ONE OF THE PARISIAN SHOP MODELS

Posed by Miss Follis of The Miss Innocence Co.

This lovely model of White Chip, "The Eugenie" semi-fitted facing of black velvet, around the crown a hedge of lilies of the valley, in their spiked green leaves and a bow of black velvet ribbon and a wreath of French roses.

This Model is $45.00

200 MODEL HATS

No Two Alike

Purchased last week from famous New York wholesale milliners. The variety of shapes, colors and styles of trimming is almost endless. Some are smart tailored, trimmed with wings, etc. Others are larger dress hats of rough braids, fine Milans, two toned Javas, fine French Chips, trimmed with French roses, fruit, fine flowers and silk ribbons, velvet and velvet ribbons.

Choice of all the $5 Hats Thursday at $2.98

Choice of all the $7.50 and $10 Hats at $4.98

A fortunate purchase of 100 models from Gerhardt and the Parisian Shop, 5th Ave., New York. These milliners sailed for Europe last week and closed out several patterns to Mrs. Hartford. We wish to give our customers a bargain festival in Trimmed Hats. These hats far outclass any we have ever shown before, both in quality and price.

Choice Thursday of $20 Hats at.....$10

Choice Thursday of $45 Hats at.....$25

These hats are beautiful beyond description. Smart street hats and stunning dress hats—hats for every occasion. If you see them you'll surely buy—probably more than one.

REMEMBER, EVERYONE INVITED TO OUR OPENING, THURSDAY, MAY 20th.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.40	6.50	6.00	7.09
a5.51	7.41	7.03	8.05
a6.44	7.55	8.15	9.01
6.40	7.30	9.03	9.32
7.02	8.30	10.00	10.57
7.23	8.05	10.21	11.34
b7.31	8.50	11.30	12.07
7.44	8.35	12.00	12.66
8.59	9.40	1.00	1.37
b9.27	10.55	2.00	3.02
9.33	10.10	3.00	3.37
10.45	11.40	b3.31	5.02
11.55	12.20	e4.14	5.36
12.12	1.05	5.00	6.37
1.40	2.30	b5.21	6.05
2.41	3.33	5.48	6.25
3.57	4.40	b5.51	7.05
4.25	5.30	e6.1.	7.37
5.20	6.15	7.30	8.05
6.10	7.12	8.00	9.08
6.28	7.10	10.50	11.34
7.52	8.35	11.20	12.16

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	7.55	z7.00	8.10
8.04	8.53	6.55	8.35
9.50	10.50	10.05	11.02
10.50	11.55	11.50	12.52
12.00	7.05	1.15	2.23
3.10	4.14	3.30	4.30
4.25	5.21	4.50	5.50
5.00	6.12	6.02	7.01
7.40	8.00	6.35	7.45
9.35	10.25	8.35	10.31
		11.25	12.21

*Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
e Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.00	9.24	8.00	9.05
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.00	5.00	3.15	3.23
5.45	7.00	7.30	8.40
8.50	10.02	8.20	e.35
		8.40	9.42

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.40	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.32	8.05	10.00	10.37
8.48	9.45	11.30	12.07
9.20	10.15	1.00	1.37
10.30	11.35	5.00	6.02
2.25	3.27	7.30	8.05
5.10	6.05	8.30	9.05
6.28	7.10	9.00	10.02
7.52	8.35	10.25	11.05

LOCAL NEWS

First-class work, Tobin's Printery.

Quinn, the Electrician. Tel. 1385-2.

Dr. Walker, dentist, Central block.

Order your coal now at Mullin's, 953 Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

David P. Molony of Whipple street has gone to Waterbury, Vt., for the summer.

Teeth extracted without pain by the Obtundlue system of painless dentistry. Dr. Gagnon, 455 Merrimack st.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Gregoire have returned from New York where they went to select summer millinery.

Consult the advertisement on the first page for rate of interest paid at the Middlesex Co-operative bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Durgin of 8 Trenton street, Charlestown, both formerly of Lowell, are rejoicing over the arrival of a son.

For reliable shrubs and trees, and skilled workmen to care for your garden, call up McManmon, Florist, 6 Prescott street.

Miss Lottie E. Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard, of 20 Third street, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. H. Dana of New York City.

Mr. John J. Dobson, formerly of this city, now of Los Angeles, Ca., representing "The Freemason," a magazine devoted to masonry, is in town visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Cora Cossette, formerly a Lowell girl, and a sister of Mrs. Frank Brogan, Mrs. Emile Provost and Mr. M. J. Cossette of this city, recently took the veil at the convent of the Ursulines at Three Rivers, Que. She will be known as Sister St. Marie Jeanne d'Arc. She is one of four sisters who have entered the convent.

ROOMS TO LET

A suite of three nice rooms in the Harrington Building, 52 Central street, over T. C. Lee & Co.'s insurance offices especially adapted for dress-making parlors or other light business. Rent very reasonable to responsible parties. For particulars inquire at The Sun office.

Nature's Remedies for Disease.

Nature provides more effective remedies in the roots and herbs of the field than were ever produced from drugs.

Thirty years ago, Lydia E. Pinkham of Lynn, Mass., discovered and gave to the women of the world a remedy made from roots and herbs, which has proved more efficacious in curing women's diseases than any other medicine the world has ever known, and today Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is looked upon everywhere as the standard remedy for women's ills.

CURTIN & SPILLANE
Plumbers, Steam and Gas Fitters
Estimates Cheerfully Given
26 ANDOVER ST. Tel. 2429

MAY FESTIVAL
IN AID OF THE
DAY NURSERY
Associate Hall, May 20, 21, 22.
THURSDAY NIGHT—Eighty children will appear in an entrancing program of artistic dances, songs and other specialties.
FRIDAY NIGHT—A fascinating bill of National Dances and High Class Vaudeville.
SATURDAY AFTERNOON—Children's Vaudeville, followed by general dancing.
SATURDAY NIGHT—Drill by High School girls followed by ball conducted by officers of the High school regiment.
THE BAZAAR will offer 30 attractive tables. General dancing each night. Every ticket bought will help a worthy charity greatly in need of funds. Admission 25c. Children 15c.

THEATRE VOYONS
THE GREATEST MUSICAL FEATURES
TEN CENTS—THAT'S ALL

ACADEMY
The Big Picture Show
PICTURES—SONGS—VIEWS
Shows daily, 2 to 5, 7 to 10.30. Continuous show Saturday. Admission 5 cents including a good seat. Reserved seats 5 cents extra.

HEADQUARTERS
FOR FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS. NONE BUT THE BEST OF EVERYTHING IN THE FRUIT AND CONFECTIONERY LINE. OURS ARE ALL CAREFULLY SELECTED AND YOU CAN ALWAYS GET THE FINEST OF EVERYTHING IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS, NUTS, CANDIES AND SODA.
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MERRIMACK SQUARE

LOWELL, WHO HAS MANY SONS EDUCATED UNDER DR. ELIOT, JOINS OLD HARVARD IN WISHING THE FAMOUS EDUCATOR "GOOD BYE AND GOOD LUCK"

PROBATE COURT

TWO SHORT SESSIONS HELD HERE YESTERDAY

At the contested session of the probate court, yesterday, Judge McIntyre presiding, the case of Andrew Livingston for the appointment of a guardian for Mary Sherburne was heard. Petitioner and his granddaughter were heard. John J. Pickman appeared for petitioner. Action was deferred. About six weeks ago Mrs. Sherburne-Murkland, mother of Mary Sherburne, resigned her guardianship, following a hearing.

In the probate court, uncontested session, Judge Lawton sitting, the following wills were presented: John Follis, Hanson W. Allen, Joseph Cossette, Lucy T. Poore and Eliza F. Lynds, all of Lowell. Administration was granted in the wills of Ezra Clark and Michael Looney both of Lowell.

Benhall's Wine of Olives
has more nutriment in it than any other food known. If you are nervous, thin, pale, tired, or suffer from dyspepsia, if your blood is thin, and you are not strong, try Benhall's Wine of Olives. If meat cannot be taken, Benhall's Wine of Olives supplies its place, as it makes both fat and muscle. It aids digestion.
Prepared by BENHALL OLIVE CO., Lowell, Mass. For Sale by Druggists

Senator Lodge and the Tariff

During the tariff discussion of the past week in the United States senate, Senator Hale of Maine charged the tea retailers of this country of extorting and said "that tea which is admitted free in this country is sold here at an advance of 300, 400 and 500 per cent on the wholesale price.

Senator Lodge said "that tea selling at 15c a pound in this country is retailed at 60c a lb."

This is absolutely correct in most cases. Why continue such extravagance when we sell those goods at a fair margin of profit? No stamps, tickets, rockers or humbug.

—TEAS—
25c, 30c and 35c

—COFFEES—
18c, 20c, 22c, 25c

Sanborn Importing Co.
26 Prescott St.—Ground Floor
Formerly 20 Bridge Street
Boston Store, 90 Blackstone St. Open Mon. and Sat. Evenings

James S. Hastings

Has removed from Bridge St. to 156 and 158 Merrimack Street, second floor, lately occupied by Green Bros., separate entrance one door from Palmer St.

Mr. Hastings has had considerable trouble in finding suitable premises, but considers the new place the best in every respect for his line of business. Customers and friends are invited to call and see for themselves.

The goods, the styles, the prices are now ready for inspection. If you cannot find what you want elsewhere call and see our offerings in Draperies, Upholstery Goods, Floor Coverings, etc.

156 AND 158 MERRIMACK ST., 2ND FLOOR. TEL. 2503

VALUABLE PAPER

Read Before Sons of Revolution

About 50 members of Old Middlesex Chapter, Sons of the Revolution met at Page's last evening at dinner. The divine blessing was invoked by Rev. A. C. Ferrin, chaplain.

After dinner the president, Charles H. Conant, called to order and referred to the death of Stephen C. Davis, a member. Reporting for a committee, appointed for the purpose, consisting of himself and Elisha J. Neale, George W. Putnam presented a set of resolutions in reference to Compatriot Davis, which was adopted, also a brief record of his life.

Edward W. Clark and William Henry Worcester were admitted to membership.

Fred A. Pitcher of Chelsea was introduced as the guest of the chapter and after giving the greetings from Old Suffolk chapter, of which he is an officer, spoke of the month of May in the Revolution.

While it was not a month of great battles it was a month of preparation and of causes leading up to the Revolution, and important events therein.

In May, 1769, the British government decided on the tax on tea. King George saying "We must tax one thing to show we have the right." In May, 1775, the siege of Boston began. Putnam arrived at Cambridge. Artemas Ward was appointed general. Howe, Clinton and Burgoyne arrived at Boston with re-enforcements, and other important events. The speaker dwelt particularly on the interesting story of the Battle of Chelsea, which occurred May 27, 1775, which, while it was a small affair of itself was significant for several reasons, such as that it was the first battle of the war where cannon were used, the first capture of a British vessel, the presence of Stark, Warren and Prescott, and that the cannon captured were later used at Bunker Hill.

In May, Ticonderoga and Crown Point were captured, the second continental congress met, Rhode Island declared for independence followed by other states.

Compatriot John I. Coggeshall read an ancestral paper referring to his ancestors, John Coggeshall and William Geddington who were the original Rhode Island colonists, and to his revolutionary ancestors Newby Coggeshall and his son, William Coggeshall, exhibiting a finger ring originally worn by Newby Coggeshall that had been handed down in family until now worn by the speaker.

Dr. Moses G. Parker gave an interesting report of the recent congress of the national society held at Lexington and Annapolis.

The president pleasantly called to the notice of the chapter the number of clergymen present, and in response to his invitation Rev. Dr. Chambers, Rev. Smith Baker, Rev. R. A. Willmott, Rev. Wilson Waters and Rev. R. A. Green spoke informally.

Other speakers were Compatriots G. C. Brock, and James F. Savage.

After a hearty vote of thanks to the speakers the meeting was adjourned.

FOR THE "YOUNG MRS."

Nice, clear that nursing bottles, 8 and 10 ounce flask shape or 8 ounce round "clean easy" kind, for 5c each, 50c a dozen. These last two are sold for the quality. Strictly pure Sugar of Milk, 25c a pound. Howard, the Druggist, 197 Central St. (Gold Seal Malt, 25c, Johann Hoff's Malt, 25c.)

STAR THEATRE
Merrimack street Opp. City Hall
Today Change of Pictures
Miss Nina Lester, Acrobatic Maid; Fred A. Philbrick, Blackface Comedian
2 to 5. SEATS 5c 7 to 10

O'Donnell Dry Goods Co.
The Store For Quality and Style
A Thursday Sale
OF
FASHIONABLE STRAW HATS
In Millinery Department
The season's most popular shapes and colors in rough straws, including the Mary Garden, Billie Burke, Favora, Virginia, Eugenia, Troubadour and Chantilly in burnt straw, rose, navy, brown, green, gray an dtaupe. Styles sold this season from $1.98 to $3.00. Your choice Thursday
At 29c Each
These hats will not be shown in our windows but will be displayed on tables in millinery dept. and the price is specially for A THURSDAY SALE.
O'Donnell Dry Goods Co.

LORD CURZON

SAYS WOMAN SUFFRAGE WILL CAUSE EMPIRE'S DOWNFALL

LONDON, May 19.—Addressing the league to oppose woman suffrage, Lord Cromer, president of the league, contended that the cause of woman suffrage was declining. The whole argument against enfranchising women could practically be summed up by saying they were unfitted to vote because they were not men. James Hereford said the female sex was not naturally fitted to be placed on an equality with men.

Lord Curzon said he regarded the woman suffrage movement as the most important subject in contemporary politics. The enfranchisement of women, he added, would endanger the safety of the empire.

"The day 20,000,000 male and female voters are added to the register by the adoption of the system of adult suffrage, you may put up the shutters of the British empire and write 'Ichabod' over the gates of Whitehall," he said.

GIRL WILL RECOVER

PROVIDENCE, May 19. — Mabel Arabian, the 16 year old girl who was shot yesterday by Aram Zartanian, who then committed suicide, will recover, according to the physician at the Rhode Island hospital, where the girl is being treated. Miss Arabian received a bullet in the arm.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Special Notice
There will be a meeting of the Stone Masons' union at 32 Middle st., Friday night, May 21, at 8 o'clock, business of importance. Signed,
PATRICK McGRATH, Pres.

Eagles, Notice
All members of Lowell Aerie, No. 223 F. O. E., are requested to be present at the home of our late brother, Jos. S. King, 76 Washington street, Wednesday evening, May 19th, at 8.30 o'clock, at which time and place the exercises of our order will be held. Per order,
JAMES F. MORRISON, W. Pres.,
JOHN M. HOGAN, Sec.

Cook, Taylor & Co.
Merrimack Street Store
Thursday's Bargains
Bigger and Better Than Ever Before
75 Ladies' Pretty Black and Colored Silk Dresses, lace yoke and sleeves (all shades). Thursday $7.98. These suits are well worth $12.50.
68 Fine Taffeta Silk Jumper Suits, in all colors, extra heavy Taffeta Silk, guaranteed. Thursday $5.98; value $10.
60 Ladies' Fine Gingham, Lawn and Muslin Dresses, very pretty patterns and styles. $1.98 Each; some sold as high as $5.00.
25 Navy Blue Dress Skirts, $2.98 and $3.98, to clean up. Some sold as high as $10.
Heavy Percale Wrappers, Thursday 59c; worth $1.00.
Shirt Waists, 19c; were 50c.
Fine Lawn Waists, prettily embroidered, 39c; were 75c.
25 doz. Extra Fine Quality Linserie Waists, fine embroidery, made to sell for $1.98. Thursday 98c and $1.19.
50 dozen Ladies' Fine Fast Black and Tan Hose, 7c a Pair; good value at 12½c.
Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 19c; value 25c. All sizes.
Ladies' Long Silk Lisle Gloves, Thursday 25c a Pair; regular 75c quality, white and black only.
Raincoats, $2.98; were $7.50.
Raincoats, $3.98; were $8.50.
Ladies' and Misses' Satin Mercerized Lined Panama Coats, black, blue and brown, $3.98; were $8.50.
Ladies' Heavy Satin Lined Panama Coats, $4.98; from $7.50. All sizes in either lot, from 32 to 47.
Children's White Dresses, special prices for the May processes, all sizes, from 98c up.
Ladies' Heavy Cotton Drawers, 45c a Pair.
Ladies' Pretty Corset Covers, 15c; were 25c.
Cook, Taylor & Co.
Merrimack Street Store

C. B. COBURN CO.,
Why! Ladies! this is the place to shop
44c buys the best broom, 24c the best mop.
A $1.10 for a garbage can strong.
You couldn't expect one for a song.
Reliance Mop Wringers, one dollar-and-a-half,
Now wouldn't these prices make you laugh?
Iron pails at 10c, will make you stop.
14c for Mop Waste; with a plentiful crop.
$2.55 for our Iron Ash Can,
It can't be broken by a careless man.
A fibre pail for 25 cents.
Oh! trade at Coburn's—it's no expense.
63 MARKET STREET

WALTER E. GUYETTE, Auctioneer
Office, Rooms 77-78 Central Block., Telephone 2415.
SATURDAY, MAY 22, 1909, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M., ABSOLUTE SALE OF A FINELY LOCATED LOT OF LAND CONTAINING 5463 SQ. FEET ON WAITE STREET, NEXT TO CORNER OF POWELL STREET.
On the date set apart, I have had placed in my hands for sale at absolute auction an exceptionally fine building lot, situated within three minutes' walk of the Chelmsford street line of electrics, containing 5463 square feet of land, more or less, with a frontage on Waite street of 75 feet. This lot is high, dry and sightly. If you have in mind the erection of a home or wish a good location to build an investment property that has all the modern improvements, such as city water, gas, sewer, electric lights, etc., be sure to attend this sale, as someone will realize a great bargain.
TERMS: $150 to be deposited with the auctioneer as soon as struck off. Other terms at sale. By order of 15 associates, by
WILLIAM D. BROWN, Treas.

"IT'S GOING SOME"
when you can have an assortment of
14
different kinds of 60c tea to select from
for 38c a pound
AND
Our "CAPITAL" Coffee, which is the best in town
OR
Our "JAVA" Coffee, the real thing
OR
Our "ARABIAN MOCHA," the genuine
OR
Our "MALEBERRY" Coffee, the straight
All of which are Regular Thirty-five-cent Coffees
We Sell for 28c a pound
We roast all our Coffee every day, right on the premises, so you are sure of getting it FRESH. No fake about it. We guarantee all our goods as represented.
NICHOLS & CO.
31 John Street
THE FIRM THAT HAS PUT HIGH GRADE TEA AND COFFEE WITHIN THE REACH OF EVERYBODY.

THE WEATHER
Fair tonight; Thursday fair followed by showers in the afternoon or night, light winds generally easterly.

THE LOWELL SUN

7 O'CLOCK

ESTABLISHED 1878 | LOWELL MASS. WEDNESDAY MAY 19 1909 | PRICE ONE CENT

EXTRA

KEITH'S THEATRE

Plans Ready and Contract Will Be Awarded Soon

Plans for the proposed new Keith theatre in Bridge street were filed with the local inspector of lands and buildings today and after several minor changes have been made in order to comply with the building ordinance of this city the contract for building will be let.

Architect Norcross of Boston who is acting for Architect Westover of Philadelphia was in Lowell today and he conferred with Frank J. Sherwood, who looks after Mr. Keith's interests in this city, and Building Inspector Dow.

BROCKTON LEADS

Lowell Was Not in To day's Game

One of the smallest crowds of the season was at Washington park this afternoon to witness the game between Lowell and Brockton, despite the fact that this was the first appearance of the Brockton team which has two old Lowell favorites in the team, McGovern and Shannon.

"Big Bill" Masse, who hails from the Connecticut league, was covering first base for Lowell. Fleming started in playing right field but before the game had progressed very far Coy, the regular first baseman was sent out to right garden. Musil, the soldier boy, occupied a seat in the grand stand, having been given his walking papers by the management. He says that he is going to connect with Worcester.

Blanchard, who started in yesterday's game and was taken out, started to pitch in today's game but he lasted but a few minutes, for the first three men to face him got hits and he was relegated to the rear and Duval was sent to do the twirling.

President Winn was still on deck despite the fact that there have been many rumors current that the team had been sold.

Brockton fell onto Lowell with both feet in the first inning and sent four men over the home plate. Hendrickson was the first man up for the visitors and he hunted to Blanchard, who threw bad to first and the runner got to second. McLean followed with a single; Donovan hit to Uniac who fumbled and Murch got a single. At this point Blanchard was taken out and Duval substituted. Hickman then got a single, McGovern flied to Uniac, Shannon fanned the breezes, Watters got a single, Finlayson hit to Uniac forcing Watters, and when the smoke of the battle had cleared away it was found that Brockton had four runs to its credit.

The visitors got another run in the third. Murch struck out and Hickman singled. McGovern hit to Venable forcing Hickman. Shannon singled and McGovern went to third and the latter scored on a passed ball.

In the sixth inning Howard banged out a two bagger and Masse got his base on balls, but they died on their bases however, for the other players who faced Finlayson were retired.

Up to the beginning of the seventh Lowell had made but three hits, two of them having been made by Howard and the third by Huston. On the other hand the visitors had nine hits to their credit.

Murch, Hickman and McGovern made a pretty double play in the latter half of the seventh inning and prevented the home team from scoring. In the eighth Venable, Fitzpatrick and Masse figured in a double play.

At the end of the eighth inning the score was 5 to 0 in favor of Brockton.

AN IMPROVEMENT

NOTED IN CONDITIONS OF STABLES AND DAIRIES

Stables and dairies in Lowell and vicinity have been under the watchful eye of the state and local boards of health for several weeks with the result that conditions have greatly improved. A few of the milkmen balked at the orders and instructions issued by the state board until they were convinced that unless they complied with all requirements they would have to go out of the business. Agent Bates of the local board said today that the cleaning up process has been very satisfactory.

Five Per Cent.
PER ANNUM
Interest Paid Last Six Months by
MIDDLESEX COOPERATIVE BANK
Shares on sale for next two weeks at office of the bank, 81 Central block. They are limited to 25 shares to each person.

CITY OF LOWELL

No. 122 Ext. May 19, 1909.

Notice is hereby given under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that William F. Foye, John J. Foye, W. F. Foye & Co., have applied for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, of the first class as innholders at Nos. 579-579 City Hall Ave., 135-135½ Middle st., 1 Rock Middle st., and Bridgeland on City Hall ave., in all rooms of specified hotel and restaurant.

By order of the Board of Police.
JOHN J. O'LAHERTY, Jr., Clerk.

VETO SUSTAINED

The House Stands by Gov. Draper

BOSTON, May 19.—Gov. Draper's veto of the eight hour bill was sustained in the houses today by a vote of 126 to 96.

SENT TO PRISON

For Violating the Neutrality Laws

TOMBSTONE, Ariz., May 19.—Magon, Villareal and Riveral, the Mexican revolutionists convicted in the federal court of violating the neutrality laws in directing an armed expedition into Mexico, were sentenced today by Judge Dean to eighteen months each in the territorial prison.

KILLED A MAN

Vose Confesses to a Second Murder

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., May 19.—George oVse, the Hungarian who surrendered himself to the police here yesterday, saying that he had murdered his wife and showed the police where the body lay, made a second statement to Chief of Police Burke today in which he declared he killed Joseph Ivan in Toledo, O., in 1904.

Vose told the police that he had lived in Toledo under the name of George Hollo, that Ivan and he boarded at the same house and that he killed Ivan as the result of a quarrel.

THE NASHVILLE

TO BE USED AS A PRACTICE SHIP

BOSTON, May 19.—The difficult task of piloting the gunboat Nashville up the St. Lawrence river through the Great Lakes to Chicago was begun today, when the warship left the Charlestown navy yard manned by a delegation from the Illinois naval brigade. Captain W. F. Curdy of Chicago was in command.

The Nashville will be used as a practice ship after she reaches Chicago. She is scheduled to arrive there June 6th.

WOMEN ARRESTED

Are Held on Charge of Arson

BROCKTON, May 19.—Two women found working in the front room of the lower tenement of a two and one-half story house at 37-39 Plymouth street this morning while 11 different fires were burning in the tenement, were placed under arrest by inspectors Merey and Saunders when they failed to give a satisfactory explanation of the situation to the police. The prisoners gave their names as Mrs. Minnie Hurwitz, 24, and Mrs. Rachael Kaufrian, 30. They are charged with arson. Bail in the sum of $100 each was demanded for the two women.

SCORED A VICTORY

LONDON, May 19.—The Meadowbrook, L. I. polo team which is preparing for a match with the Hurlingham club for the American cup scored another victory this afternoon by defeating the Ranelagh team by 11 to 4.

HARBOR BLOCKADED

ST. JOHNS, N. F., May 19.—St. Johns Harbor was completely blockaded by ice floes today. The steamer Rosalind was unable to leave on her trip to New York. Never before has St. Johns been so bound so late in the year.

RECEIVER NAMED

CHICAGO, May 19.—U. S. District Judge Landis today appointed the American Trust & Savings bank receiver in Illinois for Tracy & Co., the brokers whose failure was announced Monday.

THE WHITE PLAGUE

What Local Health Dept. Does to Prevent Its Spread

"What is the local board of health doing to prevent the spread of tuberculosis?"

That question was asked a reporter for this paper today and at the office of the board of health the reporter met and talked with Agent Bates and Frank J. O'Hare, inspector of contagious diseases.

The knowledge of death from contagious diseases is conveyed to the board of health by the death certificates filed there by the doctors. In the case of a death by tuberculosis the board sends a notice to the house where the death occurred and the notice bears the board's recommendation that the room, especially where the patient died, should be thoroughly fumigated and the board tenders the service of its department.

In some instances these notices are not received in the proper spirit. Very frequently it is looked upon as a bit of an insult, a suggestion that the general cleanliness of the house to which it is sent is questioned. This, however, is never the fact. It is done for the purpose of preventing the spread of infection. Persons viewing the notice in the wrong light sometimes fail to reply to it though the board sends with the notice a stamped postal card and on the notice appear words "please return answer on enclosed postal." When no answer is returned Inspector O'Hare visits the house in person and makes what recommendations he considers necessary; the whitewashing or painting of walls and ceilings, the washing of woodwork and floors with a solution of soda or something of a cleansing nature and he insists on fumigation.

In order that a general knowledge of the disease may be known the board distributes copies of a pamphlet on the spread of tuberculosis, prepared by the state board of health. The families with whom the pamphlets are left are asked to read it in its entirety, but special attention is called to the following sections:

1. Whenever a member of a household is sick with tuberculosis, have the other members, especially the children, examined. Meanwhile, keep young children away from the patient and from the room or rooms in which the patient stays. Allow no nurse or caretaker who has tuberculosis of the lungs to be employed about the children.

2. The bed-rooms are, so far as health is concerned, the most important rooms in the house. Here children spend about half their lives. These rooms should be kept clean and well aired. The windows should be opened wide several times a day, if possible, sunny rooms should be used for bed-rooms, and the windows kept partly open at night to ensure a plentiful supply of fresh air.

3. The patients' bed linen and underclothing should be boiled, and the blankets hung out of doors on every sunny day.

4. Because of danger from drinking cups and other dishes, you should either provide a separate set of dishes for the patient, or require the greatest care to be taken to boil all those which he has used.

5. Carefully clean and disinfect all rooms which you are to occupy where persons with tuberculosis have been housed. Rooms should be made as bare as possible of furnishings which cannot be easily cleaned. Handling dirty and soiled carpets imparts danger to others. Carpets should be dampened before removing them, and all dust should be kept moist. Walls and all woodwork, including floors, should be re-whitened and walls re-papered and painted.

6. Do not occupy immediately a house in which tuberculous persons have been living, without first cleaning and properly disinfecting the house or such parts thereof as have been frequented by the sick. The germs probably do not live after six months, and some of them will be destroyed before that time.

The individual patient is cautioned never to kiss an infant or a young child, and to use great care not to come in contact with young children. The patient is advised to sleep alone, and, if possible, in a room by himself. Patients in Lowell who are not in a position to take care of themselves or who have none to care for them are sent to the hospital at Tewksbury. Sending the patient to Tewksbury does not pauperize him. The local board of health goes a little further. It contributes to the support of patients at their homes in this city and even this assistance does not pauperize the patient.

Agent Bates says that the work of preventing the spread of tuberculosis would be made easier if the public in general had the same dread of the disease as it has of smallpox, which, if course, is not nearly as fatal as is tuberculosis. The number of deaths from smallpox are fewer than most of us imagine, as will be seen from the following figures taken from the United States Health Report, giving the number of cases of smallpox and deaths from same in various states from Dec. 26, 1908, to May 7, 1909.

States	Cases	Deaths
Alabama	156	2
California	123	5
Illinois	748	1
Indiana	365	1
Kansas	723	1
Kentucky	475	2
Louisiana	143	1
Maine	115	0
Massachusetts	7	1
Michigan	85	0
Minnesota	472	0
Mississippi	135	0
Missouri	165	0
Montana	229	1
Nebraska	51	0
New Hampshire	10	0
New York	210	3
No. Carolina	310	0
No. Dakota	241	0
Ohio	630	0
Oregon	183	0
Pennsylvania	11	0
Tennessee	591	1
Texas	436	1
Utah	740	0
Vermont	72	0
Virginia	130	1
Washington	140	1
Wisconsin	368	0

Out of a grand total of 8695 cases in the United States during the dates herein mentioned, there were but 37 deaths.

SENATOR CLAY

Makes Charge Against Mormon Church Head

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Declaring that Joseph Smith, the head of the Mormon church, every year fixes the price of beets in the interest of the beet sugar factories of Utah, rather than in favor of the producers of beets, Senator Clay in the senate today called forth a characterization of his statement as "absolutely untrue" by Senator Smoot, himself an official of the Mormon church.

Mr. Clay declared that votes already taken in the senate demonstrated that the finance committee had full power to obtain agreement on its tariff bill as reported and favored an early vote on the bill.

FORTNER ARRESTED

ST. LOUIS, May 19.—F. Dwight Fortner, a St. Louis real estate operator was arrested today in Paris, according to a cable message received here by a detective agency. Fortner has been missing since Feb. 18. He is under indictments on charges of obtaining $11,500 by means of a forged indorsement on a check given him in a real estate deal which failed of acceptance. He is also accused of having forged his wife's signature to several trust deeds and obtaining money thereon. His stenographer, Miss Hallen who was also a notary public was arrested for taking the acknowledgments of signatures on these documents but was later released.

GEN'L. STOESSEL

WAS WARMLY CONGRATULATED ON HIS RELEASE

ST. PETERSBURG, May 19.—Lieut.-Gen. Stoessel and Rear-Admiral Nebogatoff, who were pardoned yesterday by Emperor Nicholas, walked forth from the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul this afternoon. A large crowd gathered at the gates of the prison. Stoessel was warmly congratulated on his release. Nebogatoff, who now finds himself in reduced circumstances, was met only by his son. Emperor Nicholas has extended mercy today to eight other officers who were dismissed from the service for their part in the battle of the Sea of Japan.

SHOT BY NEGRO

Sheriff is Not Expected to Live

COLUMBIA, S. C., May 19.—Great excitement was created at Lexington, ten miles from Columbia, today by the shooting from ambush of Sheriff Corley by a negro, for whom he had a warrant and eviction papers. Corley was shot in the face with buckshot, and is said to be dying. The negro probably will be lynched.

TRAVERS WON

AMERICAN GOLF CHAMPION DEFEATED BLACKWELL

EDINBURG, May 19.—Jerome D. Travers, the American amateur golf champion, defeated Edward Blackwell by one hole at Muirfield today and halved with H. D. Gillies in a three ball match. Blackwell and Gillies are both first class players. The former contested in the final with Walter J. Travis when the American won the British golf championship at Sandwich in 1904.

NOTICE
Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Labelle, the Merrimack st. eye specialists are making extensive alterations in their optical establishment and it will be necessary to close until Saturday morning.

Boy Minstrels
Y. M. C. A.
Thursday Evening
May 20th at 7.45 o'clock
ADMISSION 25 CENTS

WM. H. STAFFORD

Re-elected Secretary of Foresters

WORCESTER, May 19.—The annual state convention of the Massachusetts branch, Foresters of America, met in convention in this city today. At the

WILLIAM H. STAFFORD

election of officers for the forthcoming year, W. H. Stafford of Lowell was elected to the grand secretaryship and John Condon of the same city was voted a member of the board of grand trustees.

NOT GUILUY

PLEA ENTERED BY LAWYER AND HIS BROTHER

WASHINGTON, May 19.—"Not guilty" was the plea of both John C. Davis, a Washington attorney and his brother, Martin T. Davis, secretary of the Potomac Building and Loan Association when arraigned in court today on charges involving financial transactions variously estimated up to $250,000. Both are charged with false pretenses and forgery and Martin Davis with embezzlement.

FINAL DEFEAT

OF THE NEGRO DISFRANCHISEMENT BILL

TALLAHASSEE, May 19.—The negro disfranchisement bill received its final defeat in the house today when it came up for reconsideration. This ends the attempt at the present session of the legislature to disfranchise negro voters.

VANDERBILT'S HORSE WON

PARIS, May 19.—W. K. Vanderbilt's Chandos won the Prix Noelie at Tremblay today. H. P. Duryea's Rose Noble ran in the Prix Partlet but did not get a place.

Ayer's Hair Vigor
Hair falling out? Troubled with dandruff? Want more hair? An elegant dressing?
Ingredients:
Sulphur, Glycerin, Quinin, Sodium Chlorid, Capsicum, Sage, Alcohol, Water, Perfume.
We believe doctors endorse this formula, or we would not put it up.
Does not Color the Hair
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CUT IN TWO IRONING DAY WORK
An Electric Iron which is heating while you are using it saves the hundred trips to and from the hot stove. The iron only is hot—the room may be cool, which makes the work more pleasant and rapid. Ask for free trial.
Lowell Electric Light Corp.
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SEALER OF WEIGHTS

Placed Under Civil Service By Measure Just Passed

The following act which has been approved by the governor and council puts the sealer of weights and measures and his assistants in the civil service column:

Section 1.—The civil service commissioners may prepare rules, which shall take effect when approved by the governor and council in the manner provided by law, for including within the classified civil service all principal or assistant sealers of weights and measures holding office by appointment under any city or any town of over ten thousand inhabitants whether such officers are heads of principal departments or not, and also for including within the said service the inspectors of weights and measures of the commonwealth.

Section 2—All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3—This act shall take effect upon its passage. Approved May 13, 1909.

What effect the passage of the above act will have on Mayor Brown's ordinance which was favorably passed upon by the committee on ordinances and legislation is not quite clear at this time. The mayor's ordinance reads as follows:

An ordinance amending the ordinance entitled, "Relating to the Sealer of Weights and Measures."

By striking out in section two, all after the word "qualified" in the fifth line and inserting in place thereof the following:

"A deputy sealer of weights and measures shall also be appointed by the mayor and aldermen annually in the month of March and shall hold his office for the term of one year, from the first day of April in the year of his appointment and until his successor is duly appointed and qualified.

"He shall perform all duties required by the sealer of weights and in the absence of the sealer of weights and measures he shall exercise all the power and authority exercised by the sealer of weights and measures. The mayor and aldermen may at any time remove either said sealer of weights and measures or deputy sealer of weights and measures and appoint another in his place."

THREE ROBBERS

Get $4500 in Cash From Safe

TRURO, N. S., May 19.—Three men entered the Canadian express office here today and at the point of a revolver held up the clerk, opened the safe and escaped with about $4500 in cash. They disappeared in the direction of Victoria park.

AN ORDINANCE

Providing for Licensing of Newsboys

The following ordinance, having to do with the licensing of newsboys, went to the committee on ordinances and legislation last night. The committee voted to recommend the passage of the ordinance and that it be amended by providing that the license fee be returned to applicants on surrender of badge.

Any person above the age of ten years shall upon application to the police board be entitled to sell papers in the public streets, stores and buildings in the city of Lowell and as evidence of such authority said board shall issue to each licensee a badge with the license number thereon which shall at all times be prominently displayed by the licensee while engaged in selling papers, and who shall upon request of any officer or other person duly authorized by the city of Lowell exhibit his license for inspection.

The fee for such license and badge shall be twenty-five cents.

No person authorized to sell papers shall enter any building, store, restaurant or place of business without permission of duly authorized persons and no person shall sell or attempt to offer for sale papers on the public streets after 8.30 p. m.

Any person licensed as above who is guilty of a violation of this ordinance shall have his license revoked and shall not be entitled to a new one for a period of from one to four weeks or not at all.

The provisions of this ordinance shall not apply to any person who occupies a regular store but shall apply to all persons engaged in the sale of papers in the public streets.

Any person selling or attempting to sell papers on the public streets without a license shall be punished by a fine of not less than one dollar and not more than four dollars.

This ordinance shall go into effect one week after its passage.

The ordinance was accompanied by a petition bearing eighteen signatures, including the signatures of three policemen.

ROBBERS GOT $5,000

LINCOLN, Neb., May 19.—Bank robbers secured $5000 from the Cairo state bank last night, demolishing the safe and building.

MORE APPOINTED EDITOR

NEW YORK, May 19.—The manager of the Evening Post and Nation announced today the appointment of Paulet More as editor of the Nation in succession to the late Hammond Lamonte. Mr. More has been for five and a half years literary editor of the Evening Post and since July, 1905, associate editor of the Nation.

DELANO RE-ELECTED

NEW YORK, May 19.—F. A. Delano of Chicago, president of the Wabash R. R. Co. was re-elected president of the American Railroad association for another year today at a meeting of the association.

ANACONDA REPORT

NEW YORK, May 19.—The annual report of the Anaconda Copper Mining Co. for the year ended Dec. 31 last, issued today, shows that during the first six months of the year 1908 the company suffered an actual loss owing to the shut down of operations in January and February of that year. The total income for the year was $15,604,482, a decrease of $3,146,542 as compared with 1907 and the total expenses were $14,858,510, a decrease of $944,812.

RETAIL DEALERS

Are Hit by Bill, Says Beveridge

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Reverting at the beginning of today's session to the action taken by the senate in adopting a provision requiring the names of makers to be placed on watch works, Mr. Beveridge today protested against what he characterized as undue haste in disposing of that paragraph and said he would fully discuss it at a later date. He declared that this provision worked hardship on tens of thousands of retail dealers.

Mr. Painter endeavored to obtain a reduction of duty on bottle caps from 55 to 45 per cent ad valorem, but the paragraph was adopted as reported by the finance committee. Lace-making machinery will be taxed at the rate of 15 per cent. ad valorem when imported into this country, although they have been admitted free of duty in the past, as the senate adopted the provision to that effect recommended by the committee.

Mr. Painter supported an amendment for a ten per cent. duty on linotype setting machines instead of the present duty of 30 per cent. ad valorem. He said he favored this because the linotype business was a monopoly with from 300 to 400 per cent. profit. The amendment was defeated 33 to 43. Messrs. Borah, Bristow, Brown, Burkett, Clapp, Dolliver, La Follette and Nosin, republicans, voted with the democrats.

SAGAN WINS

HE WAS SUED BY BONI-CASTELLANE

PARIS, May 19.—M. Seligman, a representative of the department of justice, presented his conclusions in the Castellane-Sagan suit today in favor of the defendant. On Dec. 30 of last year the French court handed down a decision that the three sons of Count Boni De Castellane remain in the custody of their mother, the present Princess De Sagan. The count, however, appealed from this decision. M. Seligman recommended that this court confirm the decision of the lower court. The formal decision will be rendered May 26.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY

NEW YORK, May 19.—M. Rothenberger & Co., traders in the curb market, today made a voluntary petition in bankruptcy to the United States district court. The liabilities of the firm are stated to be $27,755 and the nominal assets $75,620, of which $3356 was reported due from F. Augustus Heinze.

TO GRANT CHARTERS

BOSTON, May 19.—The grand president of the Order of Railroad Conductors was authorized today by a vote of the convention to grant charters to divisions which may be organized in the Panama zone. At a meeting of the ladies' auxiliary Mrs. Moore of Toledo, O., was elected president and Mrs. E. W. Higgins of Columbus, secretary-treasurer.

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Regular $3.00 glasses for $1.00. Eyes examined right. Glasses right. Both lady and men experts in attendance day and evening. Best in Lowell. Make us prove it.
CASWELL OPTICAL CO.,
11 Bridge st.

SAFE DEPOSIT
BOXES $20
BOXES $10
BOXES $5
Middlesex Trust Co.
Merrimack, Cor. Palmer

6 O'CLOCK

HENRY H. ROGERS

Well Known Capitalist Died at His Home Today

NEW YORK, May 19.—H. H. Rogers, the Standard Oil capitalist, died at his residence, about seven o'clock this morning. He arose about 6 o'clock and about half past six he began to feel ill complaining of numbness and nausea. Before anything could be done he sank and died. He went on Friday last to his country place at Fair Haven, Mass., and returned yesterday.

Mr. Rogers was for many years one of the most prominent financiers of the country. He took a leading part in all of the enterprises undertaken by the Standard Oil company group of capitalists; was vice president of the Standard Oil company and was the active spirit in the organization of the American Copper company of which he was president up to the time of his death. He also was interested in a number of railroads serving as a member of directors of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe; the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and the Union Pacific.

The news of the death came as a surprise to Wall street. Mr. Rogers was at the office of the Standard Oil Co. yesterday and appeared to be in good spirits. His health had been failing somewhat for several years past and he had curtailed his financial operations to some extent on that account, but he continued to perform the duties of vice president of the Standard Oil company.

The death of Mr. Rogers follows closely upon the completion of the great railroad project, to the accomplishment of which the energies of his later years, his genius for organization and a very considerable portion of his private fortune were devoted. This was the building of the Virginia railroad, a line which opened up a rich bituminous coal country in West Virginia to a tidewater terminal at Sewalls Point, Va. This road was distinctly an individual undertaking of Mr. Rogers, and he personally bore the greater part of the cost of its construction which has been estimated at $40,000,000.

Mr. Rogers had embarked on his venture some time prior to the financial panic of 1907, which checked similar undertakings by some of the large railroad companies of this country, but the work of building this line went on to its finish, mainly because of the energy and faith which Mr. Rogers applied to the achievement of his purpose.

Early in April only a few weeks ago the road was opened to traffic.

The opening was a success and after receiving the congratulations of the officials and business men of Virginia upon his splendid courage which had carried the work to its finish, Mr. Rogers returned to his home in New York.

His death, coming so soon after the end of this work and before he saw the fruit of his labor in the development of the section served by his road, is regarded by his friends and associates among New York financiers as a regrettable ending of a brilliant career in the business and financial world.

Mr. Rogers arose, as he usually did, about five o'clock this morning. At six o'clock he complained of feeling ill and a physician was hurriedly sent for. His heart action was weak and it was apparent that he was suffering from a stroke of apoplexy. This was the second illness of this nature suffered by Mr. Rogers, the first having occurred in July, 1907. In spite of all that could be done for him this morning, Mr. Rogers sang rapidly and the end came peacefully at 7 o'clock.

Following the stroke of apoplexy in 1907 Mr. Rogers began putting his affairs in order and he has been out of the stock market entirely for months. His interests in all of the corporations with which he had been identified have been placed in other hands during the past year. This step was taken in order to safeguard his properties in the event of sudden death.

FORMER RESIDENT

MRS. MARY MASSEY DIED IN LAWRENCE

The many friends of Mrs. Mary Massey, formerly of this city, will be deeply pained to hear of her death, which occurred yesterday at her home, 111 Coolidge street, Lawrence. She was the wife of Mr. George Massey, the well known engraver, and since her husband's employment in Lawrence they had made their home there, though both were frequent visitors to this city. The deceased is survived by her husband, two sons, John and Arthur, a brother, George Watson, the well known baker, and three sisters, Miss Phyllis Watson of this city, Mrs. Osmer Clough of Lawrence and Miss Marion Watson of this city.

HOLY NAME ANNIVERSARY

The special meeting of the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's church was held last evening and made further preparations for the observance of the coming celebration on the 32nd anniversary.

It is expected that about 600 members will attend the solemn high mass at 11 a. m. on next Sunday, May 23rd when Fr. O'Kane, S. J. of Boston college will deliver the sermon. The society, through the zealous work of Rev. Jos. Curtin, is very fortunate in securing the services of such an eloquent preacher as Fr. O'Kane, S. J., for this important occasion.

The social banquet and reunion will be held on the following Tuesday evening, May 25th at 7.30 p. m. in the school hall. Indications point that the maximum number of tickets will be sold and as the limit is 400 members are urged to secure tickets at once from either Rev. Fr. Curtin or Sec. Jos. O'Brien. The committee has secured the services of several of our most prominent citizens for the after dinner exercises and promises an evening of pleasure to all attending.

NO CLUE YET

TO THE MURDERER OF LAURA REGESTER

PROVIDENCE, May 19.—The police department practically came to a halt today in its search for the murderer of Laura Regester, the Cranston woman who was strangled on Reservoir avenue last Monday night. Chief of Inspectors C. S. Horton stated that every clue that has developed thus far has been run down.

STEAMER FLOATED

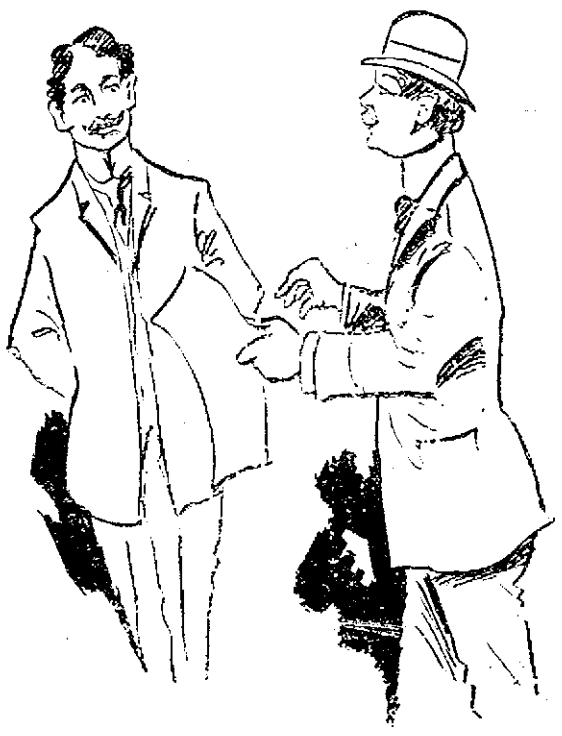
NEW ORLEANS, La., May 19.—Advices received by the local office of the United Fruit Co. from Port Limon state that the company's steamer Chickahominy has been refloated after having gone ashore and remained stranded for 24 hours near Gorda point off the coast of Nicaragua. The vessel sustained practically no damage.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, May 19.—Cotton futures opened steady. May 11.27; June —; July 10.95; Aug. 10.90; Sept. —; Oct. 10.77; Nov. —; Dec. 10.70; Jan. 10.75; Feb. —; March 10.75.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Selden Colburn of Dracut and Mrs. Levina Davis of this city were united in marriage last night at the residence of Mrs. Harry Taylor in West Sixth street, this city. Only the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties were present. The ceremony was performed at 7.30 o'clock by Rev. George F. Kenngott. The house was very prettily decorated for the occasion with hemlock boughs, apple blossoms, palms and other potted plants. Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Colburn left on a late train for a short wedding trip. They will reside after their return at the old Colburn homestead in Dracut.



BEWARE OF THE BOGUS SOLICITOR, WHO REPRESENTS HIMSELF AS AN AGENT FOR THE FIREMEN'S RELIEF ASSOCIATION

MR. ROOSEVELT

Adds Another Rhinoceros to His Collection

NAIROBI, British East Africa, May 19.—Theodore Roosevelt has begun his hunting expedition from the Ju Ja ranch of George McMillan, whose guest he is. He went out last Sunday and bagged a female rhinoceros. The first shot wounded her in the shoulder and she fled to the bushes. Mr. Roosevelt followed on horseback and six more shots were required to bring her down. The head and skull weighed 530 pounds.

FUNERALS

BENT—The funeral of Miss Sarah L. Bent took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 40 Waugh street, Rev. A. R. Ditts officiating. There was singing by Misses Lula and Amanda Barnard and the bearers were Merrill Prairie, Frank Kellar, William Leighton and Leslie Acker. Burial was in the Edson cemetery under direction of C. M. Young.

DARLING—The funeral of Della D. Darling took place from her late residence, 31 Nichols street, yesterday afternoon. Rev. J. P. West, pastor of the Highland Methodist church, officiated, assisted by Rev. C. E. Fisher. Mrs. Eugene G. Russell and Miss Ethel Wotton sang appropriate selections. The bearers were George Skinner, Charles Boyce, Chester Phelps and Archibald Higgins. Burial was in the family lot in the Westlawn cemetery under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BROOKS—The funeral of Miss Sarah Brooks took place Tuesday afternoon from the residence, 195 Westford street, and was largely attended. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. Services were conducted by Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, pastor of the Eliot church. There was appropriate singing by Miss Ruth Barney and Miss Vera McArdell. The bearers were Caleb Smith, Frederick Barney, James Sykes and William Bell. Burial was in the Lowell cemetery under the direction of the J. B. Currier Co.

HOWE—The funeral of Augustus J. Howe, who died in Highsmith hospital, Fayetteville, N. C., on May 15, took place at the Edson cemetery chapel Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and was largely attended. Rev. R. A. Greene, D. D., officiated. There were delegations from Milford lodge of Odd Fellows and Centralville lodge of the same order. Pentucket lodge of Masons held its services at the grave. The bearers were Henry Tinker, Chas. Cook, Frederick Coggeshall and Herbert L. Chapman. Burial was under the direction of the J. B. Currier Co.

WIGGIN—The funeral services of the Rev. G. O. Wiggin took place at the Free Baptist church, Loudon Centre, N. H., Monday. The Rev. Mr. Briggs of Lyman, Me., a classmate of Mr. Wiggin at Lewiston, Me., officiated, assisted by the Rev. J. M. Remick of Pittsfield, and the Rev. E. B. Stiles of Alton, the Rev. D. M. Phillips of Canterbury and the Rev. Mr. Hilman of Concord, who also served as bearers.

Mr. Wiggin had been a faithful pastor of the Free Baptist church in Loudon Center for five years, and leaves many warm friends. There were many beautiful floral tributes from relatives and friends.

The body was brought to Lowell for burial. Services were held at the chapel here for relatives and friends.

TIGHE—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Tighe took place this morning from her late home, 4 rear of 168 Adams street. A high mass of requiem was sung at St. Patrick's church, Rev. Fr. McHugh officiating. The choir, under the direction of Michael Johnson, rendered the Gregorian chant and as the body was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was intoned. The bearers were Fred Rourke, James Gorman, Joseph Lee, William Tighe, Michael Lynch and Simon Tighe. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery, Fr. McHugh reading the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge.

Among the many floral tributes were a large pillow inscribed "Mother" from the family; wreath, the Misses Dowd, and sprays, Mrs. J. Welsh and family and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Driscoll.

WHELTON—The funeral of John Whelton took place in the Catholic cemetery yesterday afternoon. Services were held from the home of his parents, 19 Lombard street, and were largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from out of town, among them being the Misses Collins of Framingham and Hayes of Bedford and Mrs. Collins of Billerica. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, including a large pillow inscribed "Our John," from the family; wreath on base, D. J. Donovan and family; star and crescent on base, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Whelton; wreath on base, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Whelton; anchor on base, John and the Misses Nellie and Margaret Sullivan; cross on base, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Collins and family; mammoth wreath, Mr. and Mrs. John Collins and family of Framingham; spray of roses, Miss Minnie Whelton; spray of lilies, Miss Kate Murphy; wreath, Miss Nellie Savage; basket of pinks, Mrs. J. Simpson and the Misses McCafferty; basket of roses, Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre; palms and roses, Mr. and Mrs. Muldoon; sprays, the Misses Stapleton and Lanfton, Mr. and Mrs. Dozois and family, Helen and Maurice Usher, Esther Bagley, Charles Kelleher, Robert F. Conroy, Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett, Miss Katie McPhillip, the Coffey children, the Cadden family, the Misses Barry, McInerney and Moloney; a bunch of violets from the Reardon and Cheney children, and a large spray from Baby Corcoran. The bearers were David Boyle, Peter Boyle, William Cogger, Hugh McCarthy, Joseph Quinn and Martin Girivin, all classmates of deceased. Previous to the funeral about 75 boys, all members of the Holy Angel sodality of St. Patrick's church, assembled at the home and sang the office of the dead, Master Whelton being at one time a beloved member of the sodality. The burial was under the direction of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

WELCH—The funeral of Bartholomew Welch took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 93 Chapel street. High mass of requiem was sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock, Rev. Fr. O'Brien officiating. The choir under the direction of Prof. Haggerty sang the Gregorian hart. At the offertory "Domine Jesu Christi" was sung by Prof. Haggerty and after the elevation, James E. Donnelly sang "Jesu Salvator Mundi." As the casket was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was sung by John J. Dalton. Mrs. Josephine McKenzie presided at the organ. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were the following: Large pillow, inscribed "Grandpa," from the Welch family; wreath, Miss Mary Welch, daughter of the deceased; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Welch; large cross inscribed "At Rest," Miss McDermott and Dalton family; wreath, James F. Norton; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. William Barris; Mr. H. Gregoire. The bearers were Messrs. James F. Norton, Edward Cunningham, Edward Dalton, Philip Gluty and Patrick Costello. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery. Rev. Fr. Mullen read the committal prayers. Funeral in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

SUES FOR $100,000

WOMAN ACCUSES MAN OF CONVERSION OF DIAMONDS

BOSTON, May 19.—Miss Maud Ronca, a violinist of Woburn, has brought suit against Nathan Mendlow, a Lynn jeweller, for $10,000, charging the conversion of several diamonds.

The suit was filed in Salem this week and the nature of the action was not specified. The report was circulated that Miss Ronca had sued Mr. Mendlow for breach of promise. Atty. Charles D. Moore of Lynn, who with Atty. Mark Sullivan of Newburyport represents the complainant, stated yesterday that this report is incorrect.

According to the claim of Miss Ronca, Mendlow kept company with her and presented her with diamonds valued at between $5000 and $10,000. Later, she charges, he got them from her on a pretext, and refused to give them back. She sues to recover the diamonds.

Mr. Mendlow, who is represented by Atty. James W. Sullivan, will contest the suit. He denies ever having made Miss Ronca a present of diamonds. He says he loaned her two diamonds valued at a few hundred dollars on two occasions.

Miss Ronca is residing at 2 St. Botolph street, Boston.

TOMMY QUILL

GIVEN THE DECISION OVER JIMMY CLABBY

BOSTON, May 19.—Tommy Quill of Brockton won the decision over Jimmy Clabby of Milwaukee in their 12 round bout at the Armory A. A. last night, but Clabby displayed more class than Quill. It was a surprise for the majority of the fans, who figured Clabby a sure winner on account of the way he had been touted.

There is no doubt that he is a good boxer, but a slippery canvas on the floor of the ring placed him at a big disadvantage. There is no question about Quill earning the decision, but with a good canvas the result might have been different.

Billy Rolfe shattered Young Jack Johnson's dream of advancing into the main bout class. They met in the semi-final and Rolfe got the award at the end of eight rounds. Seldom did Johnson lead, but waited to counter Rolfe when he came in. Rolfe put him to the floor twice and Johnson landed some stiff rights on Rolfe's jaw and head.

In the opening bout Frank Peron of Pawtucket stowed Frank Commisky of Cambridge away nicely in two rounds.

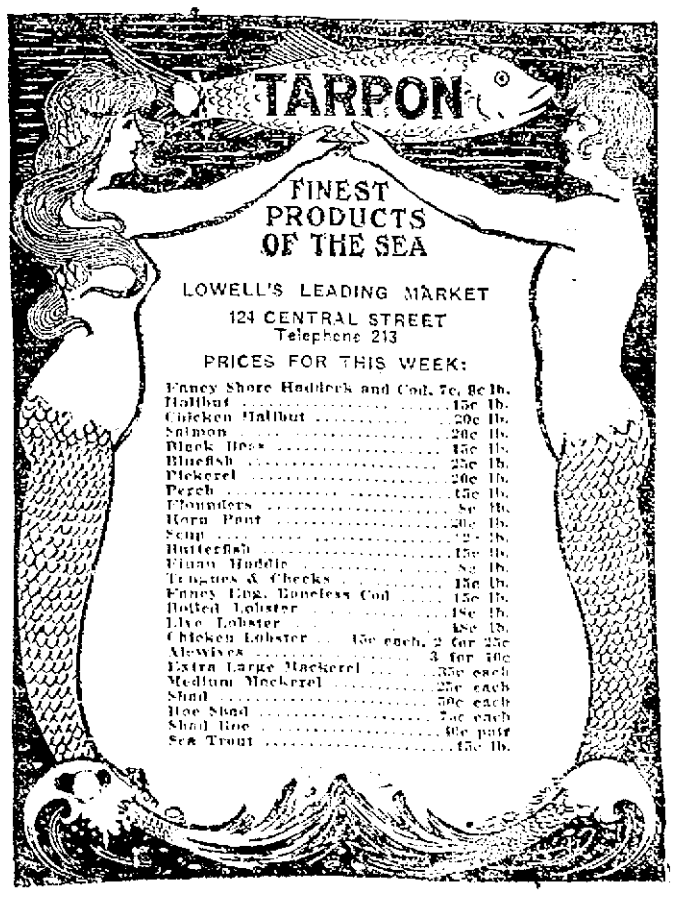
ATTEMPT MADE

TO FLOAT SCHOONER JENNIE FRENCH POTTER

VINEYARD HAVEN, May 19.—Efforts to float the five masted schooner Jennie French Potter of New York, which ran ashore on Half Moon shoal in Nantucket sound shoal yesterday morning, were begun today. The tug Orion arrived here early today and after taking on board Captain Joseph R. Potter of the Potter and two divers proceeded to the scene of the wreck, which is about 30 miles from here. The Orion joined the tugs Underwriter and Confidence, which came to the aid of the distressed schooner with the wrecking lighter Salvor from Boston. The vessel did not receive any additional damage during the night, being in practically the same position as when she struck, and it was believed that she could be pulled off at high water.

The Queen of Holland's Baby

Is now about a month old, doubtless suffering from occasional colic and other stomach troubles, perhaps from constipation, "worms," feverishness, etc., all of which the favorite baby's medicine, Ani-sen, would cure, as it has done and is doing for hundreds of happy American babies. It tastes so good that babies love it. And it is perfectly safe and beneficial at all times, does not contain any alcohol, paregoric or other narcotic. Made right here in Lowell and sold by all our druggists, 25c.



ALDERMAN CONNORS

Asked Mayor Brown Some Pertinent Questions Last Night

And Got Little Information—Motion to Adjourn Cut off the Discussion—Business Transacted by the Aldermen Last Night

"When will come the end of the police board hearing?"

"What will be the probable cost of the police board hearing?"

"Who is going to pay the freight? From what fund or appropriation will the expense of the hearing be paid or shall a special loan be made?"

These rather pointed and rather interesting questions were put to Mayor

ALDERMAN CONNORS
Who Asked the Mayor Some Pertinent Questions Last Night

Brown by Alderman Connors at a meeting of the aldermen last night.

The mayor did not make answer to the alderman's questions. His Honor told the alderman that if he would call around to the chief executive's office that he would talk the matter over with him.

The alderman wanted the information on the spot. He said it was information that was being looked for by the taxpayers of Lowell and the alderman allowed that the information should be forthcoming.

The alderman pressed the mayor rather sorely for answers to his questions, and while he was still on his feet calling for answers the mayor recognized a motion to adjourn, thus defeating the best efforts of the alderman to have the mayor make answer.

Mayor Brown, in the absence of Alderman Gray, presided at the meeting, and Alderman Connors evidently thought it would be a good time to find out something about the expense of the mayor's police board hearing.

It was about 8.30 when the mayor called for order. Petitions from the New England Telephone & Telegraph company for pole locations were acted upon favorably. The Lowell Gas Light company was voted the privilege of storing dynamite in School and Rock streets.

The petition of George H. Wilson to store petroleum in a store at Manchester and Gorham streets was referred to the proper committee. Several residents of the vicinity in question objected to the granting of the petition. Numerous other petitions of a minor nature were referred to the proper committees.

The report of the committee on appropriations, recommending the recommitment to the fire department committee an order asking for a loan of $5500 for the purchase of fire apparatus for the Centralville fire station was voted.

The joint order introduced by Alderman Stevens, asking for the annual appropriation of $8000 for the Lowell Textile school was passed unanimously.

Then came the resolution introduced by Alderman Adams and favoring the establishment of the Lowell, Lawrence & Interurban railroad. Favorable and unanimous action was taken on the resolution.

The joint order asking for the loan of the picture of James P. Francis to the Lowell Art association, as introduced by Alderman Adams, was laid on the table until the next regular meeting.

The petition recommending the removal of an electric light pole from Nesmith street and its relocation at Mansur and Nesmith streets, a short distance away, was opposed by Aldermen Wainwright and Dexter. They thought it would be putting the city to useless expense and that the results would not be any more beneficial. The petition was defeated, Aldermen Connors and Adams being the only ones favoring it. Alderman Adams gave notice of reconsideration at the next meeting.

The report of the special committee on the Huntington hall site was accepted.

The recommendation of the sewers committee that a sewer be built in Exeter street was read and accepted.

The regular business having been disposed of, Alderman Connors asked the mayor for the information herein stated relative to the mayor's police board hearing. The alderman was hollering for recognition when the meeting adjourned, at 9.45.

George Loucroft vs. Tom Sawyer at the Gladstone Club tomorrow night.

HIGH SCHOOL REGIMENT

The members of the High school regiment are making big preparations for the annual field day which is to be held on the 28th of this month. This morning the regiment held a drill on the South common.

George Loucroft vs. Tom Sawyer at the Gladstone Club tomorrow night.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

A pleasing entertainment was given on Tuesday evening, at the Immanuel Baptist church on Blossom street, under the management of the girls of Mrs. Wedge's and Miss Popplewell's classes of the Sunday school. The program included the following numbers: Instrumental trio, mandolin and guitar, "The Brigands' March," Messrs. Fred and Ted Rolfe and Albert Pihl; solo, "With You in the Land of Love," Hubert Senior; reading, "Kelly's Dream," Raymond Wilde; solo, "Three Green Bonnets," Miss Alice Leith; reading, "The Fireman's Wedding," Miss Jessie Hodge; solo, "Won't You Be My Teddy Bear?" Miss Irene Buchanan; solo, Miss Gertrude French; reading, "His Choice," Raymond Wilde; encore, "Too Particular"; solo, Miss Leith; instrumental trio, Messrs. Pihl and Rolfe; solo, "Won't You Come Over to My House?" Miss Buchanan; solo, "Greetings," Mr. Senior. After the program ice cream was served and a social hour enjoyed.

JIM JEFFRIES

SAYS THAT JACK JOHNSON WILL WIN

CHICAGO, May 19.—James J. Jeffries entertains the opinion that Jack Johnson will win from Jack O'Brien in their six round go at Philadelphia tonight. Jeffries thinks O'Brien has gone back considerably and cites the Philadelphian's battle with Ketchel as an example.

"O'Brien is a mighty clever fighter," said Jeffries, "and if it were not for his showing against Ketchel I would be inclined to believe he had an even chance in tonight's battle, but that fight showed plainly that he has gone back. I believe Johnson will bore in continually and force the fighting. If the negro stands off and spars with O'Brien then O'Brien has a chance, but I firmly believe he will force the milling throughout."

MAKE INQUIRIES

The finest bridge work is done by Dr. Allen, Old City Hall, at the lowest price and painlessly.

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DEATHS

KING—Joseph S. King died yesterday morning at his home, 76 Washington street, at the age of 36 years and 5 months. He was a member of the Eagles, and leaves a wife, Mary, one daughter, Helen, and one son, Thomas.

PEKARSKI—Andrew Pekarski died yesterday morning at the State hospital, Tewksbury, aged 64 years. He leaves two sons and three daughters. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons of this city.

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FUNERAL NOTICES

MITCHELL—The funeral of the late Chas. F. Mitchell will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from 14 Fisher street. Undertakers Higgins Bros. will be in charge of

WHEELER—Died May 18, Hersey D. G. Wheeler, aged 79 years, and 5 months at his residence, 69 Royal street. Funeral services Thursday afternoon at 2.30 from his late home. Friends invited. Burial private. George W. Healey, undertaker.

KING—The funeral of the late Joseph S. King will take place Friday morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 76 Washington street. A high mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. The funeral will be under the direction of Funeral Director John J. O'Connell.

NEW "WHITE" STORE

F. C. Garrett, the popular proprietor of the White Store of this city, has leased a store at 286 Essex street, Lawrence, Mass., and last evening the grand formal opening took place, and was attended by a large number of the friends of the proprietor and his clerks. The place was crowded with people and purchasers, and, judging from the sales that were made last evening, the word "Success" has already been written. Their specialty has always been ladies' white goods. The high quality of their goods and their low prices have made their stores successful undertakings. This is the third store which Mr. Garrett now owns.

Mr. Garrett is an acknowledged hustler, not alone in his own business, but in the affairs of the city and the Merchants' association.

A large representation of local merchants went to Lawrence to attend the opening and extend congratulations.

ANNA HELD

SAYS THAT SHE HAS MADE $1,000,000

NEW YORK, May 19.—"I have made my pile, $1,000,000 in gold plunks, and I'm going to quit the stage," said Anna Held, the actress, who sailed for Europe yesterday.

"I have made the money in America and I shall invest here. My tour next season will be my last appearance on the stage.

"But in New York? New York is wise. New York is tired at night. New York wants to laugh and be interested—excited. I think it is a good thing that I have given New York what it wants.

"I am going to buy 200 acres near Fort George. There I shall have a place where nice people can come and enjoy themselves. There will be a restaurant, some shows—all very high class—and gardens. I shall build a home near there for myself and settle down."

CONGREGATIONAL CONFERENCE

PAWTUCKET, R. I., May 19.—The last day of the session of the annual conference of the Congregational churches of Rhode Island opened at the Park Place Congregational church in this city today. After the devotional exercises by Rev. Hugh Hughes, the business session was opened by Rev. Eric I. Linds of Pawtucket. The advisory committee recommended a plan for the concentration of resources on different churches each year in order to increase the efficiency of the work. It was also voted to divide the $25,000 for benevolent purposes to be raised by the churches among seven societies pro rata. The woman's missionary societies held their annual sessions at the close of the morning service.

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ARD OF HEALTH

pends Undertaker's cense for Ten Days

board of health has suspended n days the undertaker's license seph Albert. The suspension will o effect May 24. The offence resulted in the suspension of lbert's license was the opening of n containing a victim of tuber-s.

board gave a hearing to Mr. on Monday afternoon. He was represented by F. W. Qua, and the board, after considering the facts, decided to make the suspension. Notice to this effect was served upon Mr. Albert yesterday.

The funeral in which the undertaker failed to conform to one of the rules of the board of health was in the Greek church, a week ago Sunday, and the board learned that relatives and friends of the deceased had pressed forward to kiss the dead.

At the meeting held Monday afternoon the board granted the following licenses: Stable, E. J. and E. F. McCarthy in Mt. Hope street; master plumber, Edward Scott; swill, W. M. Baird, Philip A. Donahue, Joseph Nolen, Mrs. Charles Jones, Thomas McGee. It was voted to order the discontinuance of 20 vaults in Wigginville.

The question of sanitary dumps was broached, and the board decided to visit all the dumps in the city before making any recommendations.

Friend Brothers, bakers, were given leave to withdraw on their petition for permission to keep ten additional horses in their stable in Westford street.

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dwood, natural finish, spring ends,	24 in.	30 to 36 in.	40c
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en and Lawn Rakes .....25c to 62c

Merrimack Street Basement

JOSEPH CHAMBERLAIN, FAMOUS LIBERALIST, WHOSE END IS NEAR

LONDON, May 19.—Despite the efforts of his relatives and close friends to quiet the reports that Joseph Chamberlain's condition is critical, it is generally understood in England that the former great political leader is near his end. His health has steadily declined for the last six months, and he has suffered frequent serious collapses. Arthur Chamberlain, his son, admitted recently that his father's condition was not improved. Mr. Chamberlain was until his retirement the unionist leader in British politics. He was born in 1836 and was in turn councilman and mayor of Birmingham and on the return of the liberals in 1886 was made president of the board of trade, with a seat in the cabinet. Some of his best known legislative measures are the bankruptcy bill and the readjustment of taxation.

GOVERNOR DRAPER

Summoned to Court for Fast Auto Driving

BOSTON, May 19.—Governor Eben S. Draper, and his chauffeur, were caught in a trap in Wellesley by the police of that town yesterday and summoned to appear in court next week to answer a charge of over speeding. When the police officers learned that they were about to arrest the governor of the commonwealth, one of them apologized.

"Oh, that's all right," replied the governor. "If I'm a lawbreaker, I'm just as guilty as anyone else, even if I am governor. You are simply doing your duty."

The case will come before the district court at Dedham next week.

POLICE BOARD

Granted a Number of Minor Licenses

The board of police met in regular session last night and transacted considerable routine business. A druggists's liquor license was granted to Ruthier & Delisle and a seventh class, paint and oil license, was granted to W. T. S. Bartlett.

The list of licenses granted follows:

Common victualler: Louis Vendikos, 424 Suffolk street; Augustine Lescarbeau, 197 Aiken street; Joseph E. Rocha, 103 Lawrence street; Etta Fitzsimmons, 242 Appleton street; Mme. T. A. Dubuc, 22 Lee street; Peter Anastopoulos, 479 Market street; Bertha Nye Reynolds, 27-31 Palmer street; Gordon C. Bixby, 63 Fletcher street; James Kilarkos, 352 Suffolk street; Athas Komatos, 391 Market street; John Norrie, 110 Powell street; Eugenie Cormier, 68 Cabot street; Kate Weston, 50 Lee street; Georgiana Harrington, 66 East Merrimack street; Geo. Dugay, 301 Moody street; Pierre F. Germain, 114 Cabot street; Frederick T. Wilson, 260 Branch street; Mrs. Arthur Lavalle, 65 French street; Arthur Arcand, 63 Worthen street; Charles Sharf, 65 School street; Alexander Cruickshank, 67 Central street; Elzear Tremblay, 115 Worthen street; Mary Prindiville, 17 Franklin court, for boarding house.

Express: Stanley Transportation Co. 10 lic., 12 Thorndike street; Conway Transfer Co., 12 lic., Northern depot; William E. Riggs, 3 lic., 10 Prescott street.

Old bottles: Jacob Gerson, 23 Daly street; Abraham Barlofsky, 155 Howard street; Simon Rosenfeld, 52 Railroad street.

Junk dealer: John Mayo, 36 Coolidge street.

Junk collector: Louis Felman, 104 Chelmsford street.

Second hand clothing: Morris Lappin, 247 Market street; Sam Slavin, 218 Middlesex street; Dave Bernstein, 186 Middlesex street.

Hawker and peddler: Franklin T. Belton, 139 Third street; Joseph Klein, 110 Howard street; Reuben N. Myers, 30 Lincoln street; Louis Harris, 105 Chelmsford street; Adolph Blanchet, 40 Race street.

Billiards and pool: Thomas Jonceas, 598 Middlesex street.

Laid on the table:

Common victualler: Gregore Mugakos, 396 Market street; Nicholas Tsafolis, 388 Suffolk street; Diakonnis Kounountoureas, 559 Market street.

Billiards and pool: George Vallas, 27 Adams street.

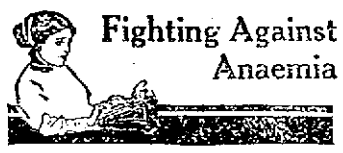
Express: John Alevizos, 8-8 Jefferson street.

Leave to withdraw:

Common victualler: Louis Vendikos, 424 Suffolk street.

Granted: Sixth class license as druggist, Joseph Ruthier, of Ruthier & Delisle, 635 Merrimack street.

Granted: Seventh class license as dealer in paints and chemicals, Wm. T. S. Bartlett, 655-659 Merrimack street.



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THE MATHEWS' MEETING

The regular meeting of the Mathews Temperance Institute was held last night, ex-President Lyons in the chair. Progressive reports were received from the committees in charge of the movies picture show and banquet. The minstrel committee reported that the performance will be given by the Bachelor club under the auspices of the M. T. I. Messrs Welch, Teague, Brady and Nesmith spoke under the head of good and welfare.

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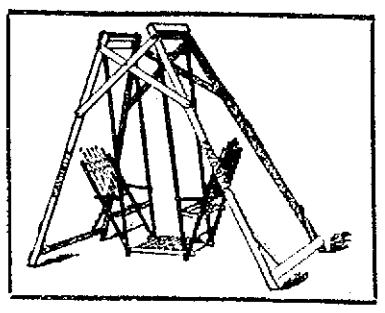

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BITTER FEELING

IS SHOWN AGAINST MAGISTRATE O'REILLY

NEW YORK, May 19.—An action to determine whether or not Magistrate Frank E. O'Reilly shall remain as executor of the Heaney estate is on trial before Surrogate Ketcham in Brooklyn, having begun yesterday with the introduction of testimony intended to show that the estate was improperly administered and the pawnbroking business in Fifth avenue stultified.

Arthur J. Heaney, eldest son of the old pawnbroker, is the complainant. He contends that the profits of the business were more than $15,000 a year until 1905, when Matthew S. Whalen, the manager, was discharged by Magistrate O'Reilly; that since then there has been a decided falling off and that the executor has ruined business by withdrawing ready cash.

Whalen testified yesterday to the existence of a copartnership scheme whereby he, Magistrate O'Reilly and John L. Shea, a prominent democratic politician and former Bridge Commissioner, were to buy the pawnbroking business for $160,000. This fell through, he says, because he and O'Reilly could not agree upon the salary to be paid him as manager. The papers were torn up and Whalen roundly cursed because he held out for $100 a week or nothing at all. Whalen said that when this occurred Shea had already given his check for $25,000 as a first payment on the $60,000 which each of the three was to make but that O'Reilly said that he (O'Reilly) was the boss, that the business was young and he would kill the scheme before he would pay more than $75 a week for a manager, and finally promised to put Whalen in the gutter. Later (in July, 1905) Whalen was discharged.

Feeling ran very strong, and at one stage of the trial it looked as though there might be some violence.

KING'S SALE

HAS STIRRED UP A SCANDAL IN BRUSSELS

BRUSSELS, May 19.—The matter of the sale of King Leopold's collection of pictures and works of art came up in the chamber of deputies yesterday. In reply to a question by Deputy Vandervelde, the socialist leader, Baron Deschamps, minister of state, said that the government was not able to interfere in the direction of acquiring the collection. Deputy Vandervelde then intimated that he would transform the question into an interpellation in the "scandal of the king's sale of pictures to American meat packers."

It is now stated that King Leopold is also selling the Egyptian antiquities presented by Ismail Pasha in 1854, an illustrated catalogue of which has been widely circulated in the United States. The newspapers express great indignation at the sale, which they declare will realize $2,000,000, and this sum they allege will be settled on a son born out of wedlock.

LOSS $150,000

FIVE FIREMEN WERE OVERCOME BY SMOKE

NEW YORK, May 19.—Seven persons, five of them experienced firemen, were dragged unconscious from the upper floors of a building at Third avenue and 127th street, Harlem, last night, overcome by the dense smoke from burning stocks of clothing and manufacturing materials which filled the lower floors. Several of the rescues were accomplished with great difficulty, but no lives were lost.

The fire caused a loss of $150,000. The cause has not been ascertained.

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NIGHT EDITION

PRESIDENT TAFT

Begins His First Tour of the South as President

PETERSBURG, May 19.—President Taft today was the guest of both Pennsylvania and Virginia when he delivered an address at Fort Mahone following the unveiling of a monument and statue of Gen. John F. Hartranft erected in memory of Pennsylvania soldiers who fell fighting about Petersburg during the war between the states, and later became the guest of this city at a luncheon and reception tendered in his honor. The president's visit to Petersburg, once the "citadel of the confederacy" has had the city aflutter for more than a month and the plans for his entertainment have surpassed anything of the sort ever undertaken here. The occasion of Mr. Taft's first visit into the south as president was taken advantage of by the Virginians for a display of hospitality for which the section long has been noted.

In addition to the president, many other distinguished visitors participated in the day's events. Gov. Stuart of Pennsylvania; Gov. Swanson of Virginia, members of the battlefield's committee of Pennsylvania, large delegations from Grand Army posts and a host of Confederate veterans have gathered here, while at the luncheon this afternoon the speakers include in addition to the president and the two governors M. Jusserand, the French ambassador; Rear Admiral Sigsbee, U. S. N. retired; President E. A. Alderman of the University of Virginia; former Govs. Cameron and Montague of Virginia; Mayor Jones and W. E. McIlwaine of Petersburg.

Upon his arrival shortly after nine o'clock the president was driven to the historic old battlefield. He witnessed at Fort Stedman the unveiling of a tablet which stands on a spot where the third division of the Ninth army corps, commanded by Gen. Hartranft, later governor of Pennsylvania, recaptured the works on March 25, 1865, after they had been taken by Gen. Gordon and one hundred picked men before daybreak of the same day. Milton Embik, secretary of the Pennsylvania battlefields commission, delivered the oration, and Miss Mabel E. Jones of Boston pulled the silken cord which released the flags around the tablet.

From Fort Stedman the president and his party were driven the mile and a half to Fort Mahone, where the Hartranft statue had been constructed at a cost of $50,000. Every inch of the way witnessed bloody battles during the siege of Petersburg. Old soldiers in blue and in gray rode side by side from Stedman to Mahone. Col. I. H. Goddard of Providence, R. I., presided at the unveiling of the statue. The enveloping flags were released by a committee of women seated in the north and south stands, among them Mrs. William Mahone, wife of the confederate general for whom the fort was named; Mrs. Clarence Fowler of Harrisburg, daughter of Gen. Hartranft, and Mrs. Wm. H. McGill, daughter of Gen. Mahone. The oration was delivered by Major Isaac Brown, president of the Pennsylvania battlefields commission. Next came the address of President Taft, whose subject was "The Union." Following his custom since becoming president, Mr. Taft spoke extemporaneously. Gov. Stuart of Pennsylvania then turned the monument over to the state of Virginia, the speech of acceptance being delivered by Gov. Swanson. With the sounding of "taps" the ceremonies at the monument concluded and the president and other distinguished visitors returned to Petersburg as the guests of the city for the remainder of the day.

The luncheon arranged for the president was attended by more than 1000 persons. It was served on the sloping lawns of Center Hill mansion, the home of Charles Hall Davis, president of the Petersburg chamber of commerce. The president and the honored guests were served at a table on the wide veranda. Others at the luncheon sat at turf-covered tables beneath the sun. It had been arranged that Mrs. Taft would be the guest of thirty women at a luncheon in the main dining hall but illness prevented her from accepting. During the evening the president will hold a public reception at a lawn fete. The president's party leaves at 10.20 tonight for Charlotte, N. C.

Deep regret is expressed that Mrs. Taft who, owing to a nervous breakdown, was unable to accompany the president.

President Taft said in part:

"My Fellow Citizens: We are met today on the soil of Virginia to dedicate a memorial to the bravery of the sons of Pennsylvania exhibited in a contest to the death with the sons of Virginia and the south. We stand here in the center of the bloodiest and most critical operations of the last year of the civil war, only a few miles distant from that dramatic scene at Appomatox between Grant and Lee which marked the great qualities of the heart and soul of each and which was the real end of the terrific struggle between the two sections.

"In the time which has passed," the president continued, "the bitterness of the internecine struggle has passed away and we now treasure as a common heritage of the country the bravery and the valor of both sides in that city. The army of the Potomac under Grant and Mead was seconded and supported by a generous government. It was hardly so with the confederate forces. Scantily clothed, rarely on more than half rations and for long periods reduced to an allowance of bacon and meal hardly sufficient to sustain life the long winter through, their shivering infantry manned the over extending siege works and made head against the vigorous assaults of the union army until their depleted ranks were no longer equal to the defense of their attenuated lines and they gave up a contest which by any other soldiers but the tried and seasoned veterans of the army of northern Virginia would long before have been abandoned. Pennsylvania's pride must be in the victory achieved by her men against so brave, resolute and resourceful an enemy. That we can come here today and in the presence of tens of thousands of the survivors of the gallant army of northern Virginia and of their descendants establish such an enduring monument by their hospitable welcome and acclaim is proof of the uniting of the sections and universal confession that all that was well done, that the battle had to be fought, that the sections had to be tried but that in the end the result has inured to the common benefit of all.

The contending forces of now half a century ago have given place to a new north and a new south and to a more enduring union in whose responsibilities and whose glorious destiny we equally and gratefully share.

NEW BUILDINGS

Several Permits Taken Out Today

There may be some men within her walls who are short on faith in Lowell, but Esreal Greenberg isn't one of them. Mr. Greenberg still continues to add to his real estate here and he allows that Lowell is all right.

He was granted a permit at the office of the inspector of lands and buildings today for the erection of a five tenement house in Chelmsford street, near Ware street. The estimated cost is $8000.

Ann Greenwood has been granted permits to move two buildings to a street running between 168 and 174 Hale street, called Greendale avenue. One of the houses will be moved from 24 Cambridge street, and the other from 116-118 Cambridge street. The cost of moving and additions contemplated is estimated at about $1500.

Edward Farrell was granted a permit this forenoon for the erection of an up-to-date cottage house in Third avenue.

BROKER FOXWELL

PLEADED NOT GUILTY TO CHARGE OF LARCENY

BOSTON, May 19.—After pleading "not guilty" to a charge of larceny by false pretenses of $2000 from the Growler Copper Co., Charles Foxwell, who was brought back from Washington today, had a long interview with the police officials and claimed that while he received the money he sent a part of it to promoting a company in Belgium. The balance of the sum, he said, was for his personal expenses in Europe. He said that he acted as the eastern agent for the Growler Co. and that if the Belgium concern was not an honest corporation he as well as the Growler Co. had been duped.

FIRM MAY NOT RESUME

NEW YORK, May 19—Receiver Berwin of the brokerage firm of Tracy & Co. said today that the present indications were that the firm would not be able to resume.

GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

HARTSDALE, N. Y., May 19.—Play in the annual eastern open golf championship began today at the Scarsdale club. The field was hardly two-thirds of the players in previous years. Just 75 men started of whom 25 can be reckoned to the Metropolitan district. The only outsiders were Horace Rawlins of the Ekwanok club, Manchester, Vt., and Gilbert Nichols of Wilmington, Del.

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DROP IN STOCKS

When Death of Rogers Was Announced

NEW YORK, May 19.—Declines in stocks in which he was interested resulted from the announcement of the death of H. H. Rogers. Amalgamated Copper of which he was president opened a point lower and dropped further on succeeding sales. Consolidated Gas fell 2%. The market, generally however held firm.

PLANT BURNED

THE LOSS IS ESTIMATED AT $100,000

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 19.—The plant of the Memphis Cottonseed Oil company, one of the largest in the south, was destroyed by fire early today at a loss of nearly $200,000 including the machinery and stock. A number of empty freights near the building were destroyed. A large amount of oil in tanks was saved.

BIG MARATHON RUN

CHICAGO, May 19.—World's champions will race in a Marathon run to be held at the South Side baseball park May 29, all of the stars who ran in New York City April 20 being expected to compete. Charles Harvey, who is handling the New York end of the arrangements stated that he had secured the promises of John Svanberg, Johnny Hayes, the Olympian champion, and Dorando Pietri. Harvey will go after St. Yves and Tom Longboat and expects to sign them up.

DEATHS

CUSTY—Mrs. Mary Custy, a prominent resident of St. Peter's parish, died today at her home, 34 Walnut street, aged 56 years. Deceased was the widow of the late George Custy, and is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Jennie Harrington and Miss Etta Custy, one son, Edward Custy, and a granddaughter, Miss Mary Harrington.

DR. HUTCHINSON

SAYS THAT HE WILL RETURN HOME SOON

CAMBRIDGE, May 19.—The receipt today of another telegram from Dr. Percy Hutchinson, the missing Harvard instructor, further convinced the local authorities and his family that the missing man will eventually return home. The telegram stated that Dr. Hutchinson was well and hoped to return soon.

THE MILITARY

NOW CONTROL THE CITY OF MERSINA

MERSINA, May 18 (Tuesday).—Edward I. Nathan, the American consul at Mersina, has returned after a three days' visit to Adana. He reports that the military now control that city and that confidence gradually is being restored. Several thousand Armenian refugees are returning to their homes under military guard.

The military commission from Constantinople, which is investigating the recent rioting in the Adana vilayet, has taken the testimony of Stephen R. Trowbridge, a missionary of the American board of commissioners for foreign missions, who was with the American missionaries, Henry Maurer and D. M. Rogers, when they were killed.

Surgeon Miller with a detail of enlisted men from the American cruiser North Carolina is in charge of the new hospital just opened at Adana. The North Carolina is in Mersina harbor. Sickness at Adana is increasing because of the great heat and the necessity of contributions to relieve the suffering is still urgent.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

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NEW YORK STOCKS

Atchison	110
Am. Cotton Oil	65½
Am. Car Foundry	55½
Amalgamated	83¾
Am. Sugar	133⅝
Am. Smelt & Ref. Co.	93⅞
Anaconda	50⅞
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	79½
Can. Pac.	180¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	79¾
Colorado Fuel	41¾
Consolidated Gas	144¾
Distillers' Securities	39¼
Erie 1st	51½
Gt. Northern pfd	146
Gt. Western	5
Illinois Central	147½
Int. Steam Pump	41¾
Interboro Railway pfd	45⅜
Missouri Pacific	74½
Missouri, Kansas & T.	42¾
No. Pac.	145⅝
National Lead	58
New York Central	130⅝
Penn	135⅛
Pac. Mail	29⅝
Pressed Steel Car	41⅞
People's Gas	115⅛
Rock Island	32¾
Rock Island pfd	71
Reading	153⅛
So. Pac.	123¾
So. Railway	30¾
Tenn Copper	42¾
U. S. Steel	59⅝
U. S. Steel pfd	119¾
U. S. Rubber	39¼
Union Pac	183⅝
Wabash	19¾
Wabash pfd	51¼

BOSTON STOCKS

Am. Pneumatic	9¾
Am. T. & T.	140
Boston Con.	15⅛
Butte	25½
Greene, Can.	10¾
La Salle	14½
Isle Royale	25¼
Mass. Electric	13¾
Mass. Electric pfd	70½
Mass. Gas	64
Mass. Gas pfd	93½
North Butte	61½
Osceola	135
Old Dominion	54½
Parrott	34¾
Quincy	90
Shannon	15⅞
Trinity	13½
Utica Fruit	13½
U. S. Smelter	43¼
U. S. Smelter pfd	49¾
Utah	41½
Woolen pfd	103¾

*Ex-dividend.

GOVERNOR'S PLAN

For Holding B. & M. Stock Discussed at State House

BOSTON, May 19.—The suggestion of Gov. Draper for the solution of the railroad situation in New England by the formation of a Massachusetts holding company to take over the Boston & Maine holdings of John L. Billard of Meriden, Conn., met with both support and opposition today at the hearing by the executive committee on railroads and street railroads on a bill embodying the governor's suggestion drawn by the attorney-general. Among those who supported the bill were Major Henry L. Higginson, Harold L. Coolidge, representing the Business Men's Merger league, Minot Weld, a manufacturer, Charles Francis Adams, 2d, treasurer of Harvard, former Rep. Charles Dean of Wakefield, former Mayor John F. Fitzgerald and Fred P. Fish.

Those who announced their opposition to the bill principally to the clause which permits a railroad company such as the New Haven to finance the holding company were Rep. White of Brookline, Bernard J. Rothwell, president of the Boston Merchants association; Louis D. Brandeis and W. B. Lawrence of the Anti-merger league, and C. H. Jones of the Transportation committee of the Merchants association.

The debate before the committee consumed the greater part of the day.

Mr. Brandeis announced that he had a substitute bill to offer which provides that the holding company shall acquire all the stock of the Boston & Maine in order that the directors of the company shall have been approved by the governor and council.

Major Higginson stated that the present proposition was probably the last chance that Massachusetts would have to control that block of stock. Mr. Adams said that under the present conditions Mr. Billard is morally bound to sell the stock to Massachusetts but if the present suggestion is not accepted that obligation ceases and there is nothing to prevent his selling to any other railroad company.

WANT TARIFF PROTECTION

MONTREAL, May 19.—The delegation from the Montreal board of trade which will attend the congress of chambers of the empire to be held in Sydney, Australia, next September, goes instructed for a tariff protection against foreign countries and a preferential tariff being the component parts of the empire.

At a meeting of the board of trade on May 6th which very few of the members attended, the organization instructions along these lines were changed to declare in favor of reciprocal trade within the empire, subject to the requirements of revenue. The action of the board was challenged and another meeting was held yesterday. The debate ended with a decisive vote in favor of the original instructions.

HARRY MERCHOT

BOSTON, May 19.—Harry Merchot, alias Harry Merchant, 24 years old, of Peabody, was arrested Monday night in a house between Epping and Exeter, N. H., charged with the theft of $1200 worth of jewelry and $30 from Mrs. Emily Shattuck of Orleans. Mrs. Shattuck was on her way to Boston on a train when she missed her handbag. A clerk in a jewelry broker's office was arrested a few days later, charged with receiving stolen property.

Merchot was traced by the police and finally arrested. He was brought to Boston and locked up. He will be arraigned before Judge Cleary in the East Boston police court tomorrow morning.

WOMEN'S CLUBS MEET

NASHUA, N. H., May 19.—Two hundred delegates from all over New Hampshire gathered here today to attend the 14th annual meeting of the New Hampshire Federation of Women's clubs. Welcoming addresses and responses from out of town delegates were followed by an address by Mrs. F. H. White of the Maine State Federation. The annual reports of officers were then read.

GENERAL STRIKE

PARIS May 19.—The life of Paris was in all respects normal up to noon today and the general strike decreed by the General Federation to commence today with the building trades promises to be a huge fiasco. The movement was voted by the hotheads against the better judgment of the conservatives.

A soldier on duty at a branch postoffice was attacked last night and almost stabbed to death by three discharged postmen.

FUNERALS

PEKASKI—The funeral of Andrew Pekaski took place this morning at 8 o'clock from the establishment of Undertaker M. H. McDonough & Sons and was very largely attended. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Holy Trinity church in High street, where at 8.30 o'clock a solemn mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Alexander Ogonowski.

The bearers were four cousins of deceased.

Burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons had charge.

SUM OF $3,000,000 INVOLVED

DEDHAM, May 19.—A notice of objection to the allowing of the will of Elizabeth A. Brigham of Brookline filed on May 6 disposing of an estate estimated at about $3,000,000 was filed in the Norfolk county court today by attorneys for Mrs. Susan Cogan of Chicago. Mrs. Cogan who was a niece of Mrs. Brigham and states herself to be the sole next of kin received under the will $2000 per year for the remainder of her life. After small bequests to the university of Vermont, the St. Albans, Vt., hospital and various individuals, the residue of the estate is left in trust, the income to be given to the Robert B. Brigham hospital for incurables founded by Mrs. Brigham's husband. A hearing will be held probably during the first week in June.

MANY CAME FROM CANADA

CHICAGO, May 19.—Despite the claims made by Canada of the immense immigration entering its borders from the United States and Europe, C. B. Schmidt of the Rock Island and Frisco road has compiled figures which show that ending June 30, 1908, more people came into the United States from Canada than emigrated from this country to Canada. He obtained his figures from figures of commissioners of immigration of the United States and Canada. During the year Mr. Schmidt finds that 56,000 left the United States to take up homes in Canada while 58,268 came from Canada to live in this country.

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LIMITATION OF ARMAMENT

MOHONK LAKE, N. Y., May 19.—Limitation of armament and permanent establishment of peace throughout the world by arbitration of international disputes is the purpose of the Lake Mohonk conference on international arbitration which opened here today. More than 300 prominent in education, diplomacy and business circles attended the conference which will be in session for three days. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of the American branch of the association for international conciliation, presided and in an opening address he said that the greatest obstacle to the limitation of armaments appeared to him to be the insistence by England on what it calls the "two power naval standard."

Prof. Dutton, secretary of the peace society of New York, in an address, declared that the long voyage of the American battleships had placed us in a false position before the world.

Other addresses were delivered by Dr. George Kirchway of Columbia university, Albert Smiley, Dr. Benjamin Trublood of Boston, Joshua Bailey of Philadelphia, president, E. D. Warfield of Lafayette college, Dr. W. P. Rodgers of Cincinnati.

INJURIES PROVE FATAL

CALAIS, Me., May 19.—A gunshot wound received at St. Andre, while pulling a gun from beneath a seat in a motor boat with the muzzle pointed toward himself caused the death today of William Baxter, of this city, in a hospital at St. Stephen, N. B. A charge of buckshoht entered his left groin.

DUEL WITH HORSE THIEVES

BARRINGTON, R. I., May 19.—A pistol duel between Chief Bo[illegible] and two horse thieves occurred at 3 o'clock this morning near the chief's home in this city. The chief was clad in his pajamas, and by the time he could get on his uniform his men made their escape. They broke into a barn at North Barrington last night and stole two horses.

PRINCE'S FAMILY MURDERED

GORI, Trans-Caucasia, Russia, May 19.—A band of armed men attacked the estate of Prince Dzhavakoff yesterday. They killed the prince, his wife, his mother, his daughter and a servant and then es[illegible]

HUGH McGANN

WAS KNOCKED DOWN SIX TIMES

PITTSBURG, May 19.—Six times last night Hugh McGann was down for a count of nine in a six round bout with Stanley Ketchel, champion middleweight of the world. Five times in the sixth round he was saved from a knockout by a second. Twice he was knocked through the ropes, once clear across the press table into the seats of spectators. Ketchel apparently toyed with his opponent and probably could have knocked him out had he tried hard. Only the cheering voices of his champions from the audience inspired McGann several times to get upon his feet again, after being all but knocked out.

For the first three rounds McGann fought hard and landed several times on the champion, but apparently he exhausted himself in the early rounds and could not face the powerful blows of his antagonist after the first half of the bout. No decision was permissible under the Pennsylvania laws.

Never before has so large an audience witnessed a boxing bout in Pittsburg. Six thousand persons crowded Duquesne Gardens, among them being men prominent in financial, political and business circles. Preceding the big fight three preliminary bouts were pulled off. Both Ketchel and McGann were in prime condition. Unusual interest was attached to the fight owing to the fact that Ketchel has a contract to meet Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion.

TO BUILD NEW MILL

TAUNTON, May 19.—Employment to nearly 350 additional hands, and additional capacity of about 60 per cent is provided for in the plans of the Corr mills, cotton manufacturers, announced here yesterday, of erecting a new weave shed. The proposed addition will add about 1000 looms to the nearly 1500 looms at present in the plant, making the total capacity about 70,000 spindles. The additional hands will bring the total number employed to 550.

Coincident with the announcement of the extension in operations was that of a departure in the line of production. Hereafter, the plant will manufacture the fine grades of cotton cloth, in addition to the lines which are made at present. Most of the new machinery will be used in the new work.

TO APPEAR IN VAUDEVILLE

NEW YORK, May 19.—Announcement was made yesterday that Mrs. William E. Annis, wife of the man for whose death Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., began serving a Sing Sing sentence yesterday morning, has signed a contract with the United Booking office, to play piano accompaniments in a vaudeville sketch.

Mrs. Annis is quoted as saying that since she has been thrown on her own resources it was necessary for her to adopt some means of livelihood, and having musical talent the stage appeared preferable.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Detroit	17	5	68.0
Boston	15	9	62.5
New York	15	9	62.5
Philadelphia	14	9	60.9
Chicago	11	15	42.3
St. Louis	10	14	41.7
Cleveland	9	15	37.5
Washington	6	17	26.1

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING

	Won.	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	15	8	65.2
Chicago	17	12	58.6
Philadelphia	12	12	50.0
Cincinnati	15	13	53.6
Boston	11	14	44.0
Brooklyn	11	14	44.0
St. Louis	12	17	43.3
New York	11	14	44.0

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Haverhill	12	7	62.9
Lynn	11	7	61.1
Fall River	11	8	57.9
Worcester	11	8	57.9
Brockton	11	9	55.0
New Bedford	8	10	44.4
Lawrence	7	12	36.8
Lowell	5	11	31.3

ANNUAL RECITA[illegible]

BY PUPILS OF MR. AND MARK PEASE

The sixth annual recital by the pupils of Mr. and Mrs. Mark M. Pease was held last night at Colonial [illegible] There was a good sized attenda[illegible] relatives and friends of the pupils as well as the lovers of piano and [illegible] selections.

The following was the program carried out:

Violins and piano, Cavaleria Rusticana, Irene White, Ethel Sharrow, Camilla Scott, Florence Turner, Mary Murray, Helgo Ohlsen, Augustus Hilton, L. T. Conley, John McQuade, William Stevenson, John Armstead, Alfred Warren, Herbert Mattinson, Willie Kirby, James Gilmore, John Gilmore, Chester Codding, Clifton Johnson, Josef Cebula, John Allen, Alfred Dupont, Roderique Gendreau.

Piano duet, Hunting Song.
Willie McGreevey and Mrs. P[illegible]
Piano solo, Nocturne,
Margaret Devine.
Violin solo, La Sonnambula,
Herbert Mattinson.
Piano solo, Alpine Song,
Mildred Tinker.
Piano solo, Playful Waves,
Flossie Church.
Violin solo, Romance in F,
James Gilmore.
Piano solo, Valse Brilliante,
Etta McCartin.
Violin solo, Serenade,
Ethel Sharrow.
Piano solo, Water Wheel,
Mary Murphy.
Violin solo, Trovatore,
Alfred Warren.
Piano solo, Joyfulness,
Helen McCartney.
Piano duet, Rosetta Mazurka,
Lionel Dursthoff, Louise Durs[illegible]
Violins, Overture Des Marionetti,
Advanced Pupils and Pian[illegible]
Piano solo, Mountain Belle,
Peace Warren.
Piano solo, Invitation au Galop,
May Brown.
Violin duet, Sounds from the A[illegible]
Ethel Sharrow, Mr. Pease.
Piano solo, Hearts' Springtime,
Lillian O'Brien.
Piano solo, Idylle,
Madeline Scott.
Violin solo, Faust,
Irene White.
Piano solo, Blushing Morn,
Mary Toy.
Violin, Invitation to Waltz,
Willie Kirby.
Piano duet, Red Top Polka,
Margaret McNenney, Mary McK[illegible]
Violin, Believe Me, Those En[illegible] Charms,
John McQuade.
Piano, Song of the Woodman,
Edith Toy.
Hope March,
Violin, class and piano.

AUTO CARNIVA[illegible]

PRES. HEINZE AND SEC[illegible] KENNA IN NEW YORK

President John O. Heinze and [illegible]retary John A. McKenna of the [illegible] Automobile club are in New Yo[illegible] ferring with the racing board of [illegible] A. A. They left Boston Monda[illegible] on the midnight train and it [illegible]pected that they will be back i[illegible] Gil tomorrow. Among those w[illegible] be present at the conference [illegible] Fred Wagner, who acted as st[illegible] the race held in this city last [illegible] is expected that Mr. Wagner w[illegible] act as starter this year.

While in New York, Messrs. [illegible] and McKenna will endeavor to [illegible] touch with the Wright brothe[illegible] aeroplanists, to see if it is pos[illegible] get them to come on here dur[illegible] carnival. It would seem now [illegible] impossible to secure the men in[illegible] as they are, according to pre[illegible] spatches, scheduled to sail abro[illegible] ing July, to conduct experim[illegible] the British and German govern[illegible]

ELECTED TREASURER

FALL RIVER, May 19.—[illegible] meeting of the directors of the [illegible] ford mill this morning Samuel [illegible] son, book-keeper of the corp[illegible] was elected clerk and treasu[illegible] succeed the late Fred E. Wate[illegible]

If You don't attend this sale you'll always regret it.

Gilbride's

MERRIMACK & PALMER STREETS

Our First Anniversary Sale is the talk of the town.

STORE OPENS AT 8.30 A. M. JOHN S. BACHMAN, Pres. JOHN J. BURNS, Sec'y MATTHEW SCOTT, Treas. STORE OPENS AT 8.30 A. M.

Thursday Morning at 8.30 O'Clock, We Start on the Second Week of the Great Anniversary Sale

Thursday will start an exceptional second week in the progress of our FIRST ANNIVERSARY SALE. Because it will introduce so many new things and so many fine values, it will be a day long to be remembered by the shoppers in our store. Good value is the corner stone on which we builded for this sale, high quality caps the structure, and on prices there's a hundred-pound pressure to the fractional part of each figure. IT'S THE CARNIVAL OF THE GIVING OF GOOD VALUES and here's a lot of evidence that will go to prove this—pure and simple.

PROMPT ACTION WILL ENABLE YOU TO SECURE THESE:

SPECIALS IN INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S DEPT.

Children's Rompers, in blue mixed Gingham, 2 to 6 years.....19c
Children's Dresses, Galatea stripes and plains 15c
Children's Guimps 50c
Girls' Percale and Chambray Dresses, Jumper and Guimp styles, 6 to 14 years $1
75c and $1 Kimonas for this sale 49c
Good Muslin Kimona for 19c
Wash Dresses in two piece, made of good Percale 79c
Extra quality Percale 2-piece Wash Dress, well worth $1.25..$1
Two Piece Dresses of fine Gingham, in plain blue mixed, worth $2.98, for $1.95
Black Sateen Petticoats marked 69c for this sale only.
Seersucker Striped Petticoats 39c, worth 50c.
Heatherbloom Petticoats, $1.
All Silk Petticoats, guaranteed 3 months $2.98

SKIRTS, SUITS, COATS AND DRESSES

New Princess and Jumper Dresses, made of fine Chambray and plain linene, trimmed with piping, only $1.98
Jumper and Princess Suits, made of fine gingham, etc. $2.98
All Wool Worsted Suits, $7.95. Come in Reseda, Brown, Navy and Wistaria, well worth $15.
$22.50 and $25 Suits, $10.50 and $18.50.
Fine assortment of Suits at $13.50.

UNDERCLOTHES

That will delight the heart of any bride. Every bride is glad of such things. Here is your opportunity during the second week of this sale.

Corset Covers, made of good cambric, trimmed with three rows of lace and ribbon run. Regular price 25c .....12½ Each
Corset Covers, handsomely trimmed with four rows of lace insertion and deep edge, two rows of ribbon run. Regular price 29c .....19c Each
Women's Drawers, made of fine quality cambric with deep hamburg ruffle. Regular price 39c .....25c Pair
Women's Long White Skirts, made of good quality cambric with flounce of tucks and hamburg edge. Regular price 75c 50c Each
Long White Skirts made of unstarched cambric with deep flounce consisting of five rows of lace insertion and edge. Regular price $1.50 .....$1.00 Each
Combination Corset Cover and Skirt, trimmed with lace insertions, edge and beading. Special value .....75c Each
Misses' Night Robes, made of good cambric, with yoke of hamburg insertion and edge. Regular price 50c .....39c Each

A Skirt manufacturer has sent us for the Anniversary Sale four special lots of White Skirts.

LOT ONE

White Skirts, good quality Nainsook, deep tuck flounce, lace or hamburg edge 50c

LOT TWO

White Skirts of fine Nainsook, with deep tucked flounce, regular price $1, in this sale 69c

LOT THREE

White Skirts, 15 inch hamburg flounce, $1.50 Skirts for.....$1

LOT FOUR

White Skirts, 18 inch flounce, five rows of insertion and edge, a $2.50 Skirt for $1.50

WAISTS IN THE ANNIVERSARY SALE

For 98c we will sell you a $1.50 Waist.
For $1.98 we will sell you a $3.00 Waist.
Panama Skirts, nicely trimmed, with three rows of taffeta, come in black, brown and gray mixtures.....$1.98
Voile Skirts at $2.98
Black French Voile Skirts at.....$5.00
Raincoats at $6.95
Covert Coats, 54 inches long $7.95
Black Panama Coats $4.98
Coat of Scotch Mixture, 35 inches long.....$5.75
Coat of Scotch Mixture, 52 inches long $9.95

Now Is the Time to Buy Your SUMMER UNDERWEAR

Commencing the second week of our Anniversary Sale, just to celebrate, we offer:

Women's Vests, low neck, sleeveless, and lace trimmed, in all sizes, slightly imperfect, worth 12½c and 15c.....6¼c
Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests, low neck and sleeveless, silk finish with mercerized tape; seconds; regular price 25c, for 12½c
Women's Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, with wide lace at knee, regular price 50c. Sale price..... 33c

MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Lay In a Supply at These Prices

Men's Fancy Colored Lisle Half Hose. Jacquard weaves, 25c quality .....15c Pair
Men's Black Maco Cotton Half Hose, double heel and toe, 15c quality .....10c Pair
Men's Black and Tans, split soles, 25c quality .....15c Pair
Children's Black Cotton 1-1 Rib Hose, double soles, heels and toes, 12½c quality .....6¼c Pair
Children's Medium Weight Black Cotton Hose, double heels and toes, 19c quality .....12½c Pair
Children's Egyptian Silk Lisle Hose, full fashioned, 25c quality .....19c Pair
Women's Fine Black Maco Cotton Hose, linen soles, double heels and toes, 29c quality .....17c Pair
Women's Fine Tan Cotton Hose, double soles, heels and toes, a special 15c quality .....8c Pair
Women's Silk Lisle Hose, double heels and toes, a regular 25c quality .....19c Pair, 3 Pairs for 50c

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

At Half Price in the Anniversary Sale.

Women's Plain Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular price 5c, in this sale 2c
Women's Embroidered Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, regular price 25c, in this sale 12½c
Men's Plain Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular price 5c, in this sale 3c
Men's Plain Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs, regular price 19c, in this sale 12½c

WOMEN'S FANCY NECKWEAR

The Prettiest Neckwear to be Had Anywhere.

New Fresh Dutch Collars, Jabots and Stocks, 25c and 50c designs 19c
500 Collars, Jabots and Stocks, 50c pieces, some 75c..... 39c
Linen Embroidered Collars, new designs, 19c and 25c values, 12½c

WHITE GOODS

In Plain and Fancy Weaves. None Such Ever Offered Before.

12½c 30-inch India Linen, very fine and sheer, new goods, only 8c
25c 30-inch India Linen, very fine and sheer, new goods, only 17c
15c Dotted Muslins, in 3 size dots, very good quality, only 9½c
15c extra fine quality of Sheer Dimities, in small, medium and large checks, with 1, 2 and 3 bars, only.....9½c Yard
37½c very fine and sheer Muslins and Batistes, in plaids with dots and mercerized figures, embroidered figures in white and some colored, will make handsome graduation dresses, and price only .....19c Yard
37c White Linen Waistings, 36 inches wide, real sheer and fine, only .....19c Yard

HEMSTITCHED AND FRINGED TABLE AND LUNCH CLOTHS

At Less Than Half Price

36 and 45 inch Square Fringed and hemstitched, all linen Lunch Cloths of German make, very fine quality, worth $1.25 each, only 40c
36 and 45 inch Square Lunch Cloths, fringed and hemstitched, very fine German quality, real value $2.00. Sale price only 95c each
$2.00 Hemstitched Cloth, size 2x2 yards, with Mexican drawn work, very fine, only $1.39
$2.50 Hemstitched Cloth, size 2x2½ yards, same as above, only $1.95 each
$1.00 Hemstitched Lunch Cloths, pure linen, of very fine quality, only .....75c each
$1.50 Hemstitched Lunch Cloths, pure linen, extra fine and handsome, only .....95c each

DECORATIVE LINENS

The most complete Fancy Linen Department in the state. We sell more Fancy Linens than any other store of our size in New England. We buy in large quantities. We import our own goods.

10c 9-inch Pure Linen Knotted Fringed Doilies, round, square, and oval .....2½c Each
10c 7-inch Square Doilies, hemstitched, with Mexican work, 2½c Each
25c 12 to 15-inch Knotted Fringed Pure Linen Doilies, 6¼c Each
50c 15 to 18-inch Hemstitched Squares, beautiful hand-drawn centres, for .....10c Each
75c 15 to 24 inch Hemstitched Squares, handsome centers of Mexican and Japanese hand-drawn work, fine quality linen, only .....39c Each
50c 30x30 Squares, 18x45 and 18x54 Scarfs, hemstitched, good quality linen, while they last, only.....19c Each
$1.00 18x45 and 18x54 Scarfs with handsome openwork, very fine quality of linen, never sold by any store less than $1.00, our price .....50c Each
50c, 18x54 Scalloped Edge Scarfs, extra fine quality and will give splendid wear, only .....19c each
18x54 Renaissance, 3 piece Scarfs, made of very fine braid and put together by hand, real value of this scarf is $1.49. Sale price 95c

TOWELS

15c Huck Towels, large size, extra good quality, only....8c Each
20c Huck Towels, extra size, German make, nearly pure linen, all white, only .....12½c Each
25c Huck Towels, good size, Scotch and German make, only 17c Each
20c Bleached Turkish Towels, double warp, extra size and heavy, only .....12½c Each
37½c Bleached Turkish Towels, double warp, real large size and extra heavy, only .....25c Each
Very Fine Quality Huck Towels, size 20 inches wide and 40 inches long, extra size, real value 17c, sale price .....10c each

TABLE LINENS

98c Table Linen, 72 inches wide, pure linen, heavy, of Scotch make, only .....69c Yard
$1.25 Table Linen, 72 inches wide, pure linen, extra fine and heavy, in Scotch, Irish and German makes.....95c Yard
$1.50 Table Linen, 72 inches wide, pure, fine, heavy linen, never sold less than $1.50 a yard, only.....$1.00 Yard
Napkins to match the above damasks at greatly reduced prices.

PATTERN CLOTHS

$2.50 Pattern Cloth, size 2x2 yds., 12 handsome designs, real good quality, only .....$1.95 Each
$3.00 Pattern Cloth, size 2x2½ yards, same as above in quality, only larger .....$2.45 Each
$3.50 Pattern Cloth, size 2x3 yards, same as above in quality, only larger .....$2.95 Each
Napkins to match in 20, 22 and 24 inches, at $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50 a Dozen

PURE LINEN NAPKINS

$1.25 Pure Linen Napkins, size 19 inch, of very good quality and design, only ..... 95c Dozen
$2.50 Pure Linen Napkins, size 20 inch, extra good value, only $1.95 Dozen
$3.25 Pure Linen Napkins, size 23 inch, very fine and heavy, only .....$2.50 Dozen

COTTON DIAPER

59c Best Quality Red Star Antiseptic Cotton Diaper, 18 inches wide, only .....39c Piece

SILKS AT ASTONISHING PRICES

69c Foulard Silk in all the newest up-to-date patterns, handsome neat figures and stripes. Choice .....39c Yard
69c Messaline Silk in all the latest shades. Black and white, splendid quality. Choice.....39c Yard
69c Rough Shantung Pongee Silk, 27 inches wide, all shades and natural color. Choice.....39c Yard
39c 27-inch wide, all colors, Sere Silk, beautiful waistings, only .....25c Yard
$1.00 27-inch Black Taffeta Silk. Beautiful rich lustre, only 69c Yard
$1.39 36-inch Black Taffeta Silk. High grade dress quality, only .....$1.00 Yard
$1.00 All Silk Shantung Pongee Silk for auto coats, summer dresses, seashore costumes and evening gowns. Beautiful range of colors .....59c Yard

DRESS GOODS

$1.00 Mainish Suiting, 44 inches wide, in neat blue and green, black and black, brown and green checks, very desirable for coats, suits or separate skirts, good value for $1.00, sale price .....49c Yard
39c and 59c Dress Goods for 39c. All wool Batiste, herringbone serges, chevron stripe suiting, black and white check serges in all the latest shades, for .....39c Yard

NEW WASH GOODS

At very attractive prices. Large purchase of desirable Wash Goods enables us to offer during our Anniversary Week some unusually good values.

6¼c Apron Ginghams, three size checks. Anniversary price 3½c Yard
8c Apron Ginghams, best quality, blue checks, only....5½c Yard
6c Light Prints, best quality, neat figures and stripes...4c Yard
6¼c Printed Batiste .....2½c Yard
12½c Ginghams, stripes and checks, best goods....7½c Yard
12½c best quality 36-inch Percales, light and dark....7½c Yard
12½c Dress Sateens in small, neat figures, only.....6¼c Yard
12½c new, up-to-date Printed Batiste in floral stripe, and neat little figures, dark and light ground.....6¼c Yard
25c Silk Muslins, plain and figured, handsome for evening or street wear. Special price only.....12½c Yard
25c Best Quality Soisette and Irish Poplin, in all the latest shades, plain and polka dot, only.....17c Yard
25c Imported Mercerized Ginghams, very handsome....15c Yard
15c 36-inch plain blue, red and pink Chambray, real fine, only 6¼c Yard

RUG AND CARPET DEPT.

65c Genuine Cork Linoleum.....44c Sq. Yd.
50c Heavy Quality Oil Cloth.....29c Sq. Yd.
5 more bales just arrived of Hodges' Fibre Carpet, drummers' samples, make nice rugs, worth 50c to $1.50, 15c to 79c Each
9-foot and 12-foot Rugs, worth up to $20.....$3.95 to $8.95
Large Bigelow Axminster Rugs.....$5.98 to $11.95
35c to 50c 1-yard wide Fibre Carpet.....19c

A FRESH SHIPMENT OF NEW GLOVES ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Just in time for the second week of our Anniversary Sale. This is the last chance you will have to buy Long and Short Lisle Gloves at these prices from present indications this season.

For 14c a woman may procure two clasp Milanese Suede Lisle Gloves, Paris point backs, silk backs, pearl clasps, black, white and all the new Spring Shades. These gloves are perfect goods and the real value is 50 and 75c a pair.

For 25c you will find 12 and 16 button length fine Lisle Gloves, black, white and the new Spring colorings. Some of these gloves are worth $1.00 pair.

We are selling 2-clasp perfect fitting Kid Gloves, all sizes and all colors, a regular $1.00 Glove for 63c pair.

12 and 16 Button Chamois Gloves in natural and white, sold everywhere for $2.98. In this sale $1.19 pair.

DOMESTIC SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

9c yard wide Bleached Cotton, soft finish, good quality..5½c Yard
10c yard wide Bleached Cotton, all well known brands, such as Fruit of the Loom, Langdon, Hill and others, only..6¼c Yard
Good Quality Unbleached Cotton, only.....3c Yard
8c yard wide Unbleached Cotton, good and heavy, only..5c Yard
15c 42-inch Pillow Case Cotton, soft and fine, only....10c Yard
25c 9-4 Bleached Sheeting, fully 2¼ yards wide, only..19c Yard
23c 9-4 Unbleached Sheeting, real good quality, only..15c Yard
32c 9-4 Bleached Fruit of the Loom Sheeting, only.....25c Yard
35c 10-4 Bleached Fruit of the Loom Sheeting, only....27c Yard
17c 42x36 and 45x36 inch Pillow Cases, very heavy and bleached 12½c Each
39c 72x90 Good Quality Seamed Sheets, only.....29c Each
50c 81x90 Good Quality Seamed Sheets, only .....39c Each
75c 81x90 Best Quality Seamless Sheets, extra heavy 50c Each
$1.00 81x99 Best Quality Seamless Sheets, extra heavy 59c Each

DRAPERY DEPT.

Hemstitched Ruffled Sash Curtains.....12½c pr
Ruffled Battenberg Muslin Curtains .....44c pr
25c Scotch Muslin, 40 inches wide .....19c yd
$2.75 Scotch Madras Lace Curtains .....$1.98 pr
$5.00 Beautiful Braided Curtains, 4 patterns.....$3.00 pr
Sofa Pillows .....25c, 39c and 59c
50 drummers' samples of Couch Covers, full 60 inches wide, extra heavy, worth $2.25 to $4.75 .....$1.39 to $2.75

TOWELING BY THE YARD

12½c Pure Linen, red or white border Crash, made of pure flax and will give splendid wear, only .....7½c yd
17c Extra Heavy Pure Linen Crash, in white or red borders, only 12½c yd

A NEW LOT OF WOMEN'S BELTS GO ON SALE THURSDAY

25c and 39c Fancy Elastic Belts 15c
50c and 75c Fancy Elastic Belts 29c
$1.00 Fancy Elastic Belts 39c

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The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1908 was

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1909. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public

This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

The Wright brothers had to go to Europe to get the recognition which their genius deserves. Our government is slow to patronize the genius of her own citizens. Foreign governments offer far greater encouragement to inventors of flying machines.

SMOOT'S STATEMENTS QUESTIONED.

Senator Smoot seems to have some secret method not known to the other senators of telling the prices of imported articles, including razors. Perhaps he learns from the Mormon missionaries who are well acquainted with the low prices of Europe. When Smoot says that a good razor can be purchased for ten cents in the European market he is not stating the fact. Smoot's statements will not stand investigation.

POLICE BOARD HEARING.

The end of the police board hearings is in sight for which the people of this city have a right to be thankful. It has been a farce from the beginning, and so we presume it will be to the end. It has served to show, however, that no set of public officials in any city could make a more earnest effort to follow the letter of the law in the discharge of their duties than did the present board of police. If the board be disturbed the change will probably be like that of the charity board—for the worse.

THE SITUATION IN FRANCE.

France is confronted with a situation that is very serious. The spirit of discontent, if not mutiny and rebellion, seems to be rife among the masses. The false doctrines of socialism have free play and with the institution of religion either swept away or silenced the influences of socialism and anarchy will have an opportunity to do their work with comparatively little opposition. Perhaps the gravity of the situation is over-estimated, but it seems to forebode grave danger for the republic.

PUT BACK THE CLOCK.

President Taft is interested in the question of more daylight so that the people may have more time after work to spend in recreation.

The National Daylight association of Cincinnati has brought the matter to his attention and begs the cooperation of the national government in a movement to adopt the English method of puting back the clock so as to utilize a couple of hours daylight more than we do at present each day.

It is proposed to put the clock back two hours from May 1 to October 1 and then bring the time up to the present arrangement. The effect would be to get two hours earlier to work and except with the irregular, as much earlier to bed.

It is an arrangement that would be doubly beneficial in hot weather as it would throw a considerable portion of the day's work into the cool of the morning and allow time after work for visiting beaches or places where it is easy to keep cool.

WHERE SMOOTH PAVING IS NEEDED.

Over a year ago we referred to a petition then before the city government for the smooth paving of Worthen street from Merrimack street to Market. There were good reasons for urging smooth paving then and the same reasons exist still. There is a stable on the street, and as the paving is of badly worn cobble stones, the condition of the street must be very unsanitary, to say the least, as well as being very uneven for driving purposes. That street should be paved at least as far as Market street for the safety, the health and the convenience of the public.

But before it be smooth paved the sewer from Merrimack to Market street must be lowered, inasmuch as the blocks in the vicinity including the Associate buildings are as badly off in some cases as were the buildings on Merrimack square before the sewer in that vicinity was lowered.

Where a sewer is not low enough to do its work every heavy rain will cause a backing up into the basements adjoining with the result that goods are damaged and disease germs spread about to the peril of those who reside in the vicinity.

This is but a small job; it is a public necessity as property owners suffer for lack of proper sewerage. We are not sure that the city is not liable for damage done by its sewers after the authorities have been repeatedly warned of the danger and the inadequacy of the sewer. The city council should order the sewer lowered and then have that section of Worthen street smooth paved.

NORMAN MACK'S NEW MAGAZINE.

Norman Mack's new magazine, the National Monthly, is out, and if future numbers measure up to the standard of the first it is safe to say that the National Monthly will prove a real beacon light to the democracy of this country.

Norman Mack is the editor of the Buffalo Daily Times, a democratic newspaper of wide influence. He is also editor of the Buffalo Sunday Times and in addition to printing these papers Mr. Mack prints for a large number of newspapers as well as for his own, an illustrated magazine, a weekly output of about 700,000 which requires vast mechanical facilities. With such mechanical equipment, with the recognized ability and experience of Mr. Mack, there is every reason to expect that the National magazine will be a thoroughly able and up-to-date magazine, a reliable guide and authority on democratic issues in general. Mr. Mack in his prospectus states that he will not use his magazine to dictate candidates in either national, state or local affairs, but will stand for the cleanest and best in party and in politics. The democratic party has been greatly in need of some such magazine. Bryan's Commoner does not answer the purpose because it is too much of a personal organ, and Mr. Bryan has been a dictator rather than a leader and guide.

We wish Mr. Mack's undertaking unbounded success. He will aid the cause of democracy if he keeps to the path he has marked out in the opening issue of his magazine. In the recent campaign the party was greatly handicapped for lack of support from a fair share of the newspapers of the country.

PRESIDENT ELIOT

Gives Up Place at Head of Harvard University

CAMBRIDGE, May 19.—Abbott Lawrence Lowell, who for the last ten years has been Eaton professor of the science of government at Harvard, assumed the presidency of the university today as the successor of Charles W. Eliot.

President Lowell took up the work of the direction of the university which President Eliot relinquished yesterday after forty years in office, without ceremony, the new head walking quietly to the president's desk on the second floor of University hall, where he plunged resolutely into a mass of correspondence.

Next October the university will formally inaugurate President Lowell. The only change today, however, was that President Lowell had charge of the work of directing the work of the different departments of the university in place of former President Eliot. It is expected that within a short time, possibly at commencement next month, the Alumni of Harvard will show its appreciation of Mr. Eliot by presenting him with a fund sufficient to enable him to live with every possible comfort the rest of his life. It is said that the fund already amounts to over $130,000.

It is also expected that Harvard will confer the degree of LL. D. upon Mr. Eliot and probably make him a professor emeritus of some department.

COURT RESUMES

Judge Stevens on Bench Again Today

Judge Stevens resumed the bench in the supreme court this morning and the case of Wilder vs. Boston & Maine, an out-of-town case which was interrupted by His Honor's illness, was taken up and the medical witnesses for the plaintiff examined.

The case is that of Marie M. Wilder vs. Boston & Maine and her husband, George H. Wilder, vs. Boston & Maine, the wife suing for $20,000 and the husband for $10,000. Coakley and Sherman appear for the plaintiff and Trull and Wier for the defendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilder, who are residents of Somerville, in December, 1905, were passengers on a Boston & Maine train going from Springfield to Holyoke, when their train was run into by a freight train and both were injured, the wife's injuries being particularly severe.

The defendants admit their liability in the case and the case was heard on the question of damages. As there are about 20 witnesses for the plaintiff the case is likely to occupy another day at least.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

MONAHAN SHOT

During a Dispute in a Store

BOSTON, May 19.—William Monahan, 22, of 50 Sharon street, said to be a member of the Fellows street "Whyo Gang," was shot in the store of Harris Chilkowitch, 26 Northampton street, early last evening by the latter, during a dispute over a newspaper.

The brim of Monahan's hat saved his life, as it deflected the course of the bullet which, instead of entering the right temple, inflicted a surface wound.

Chilkowitch, who is 22 years old, is locked up at the East Dedham street station.

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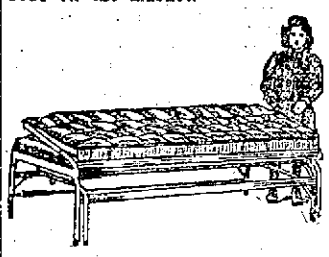
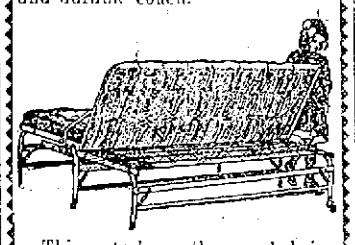
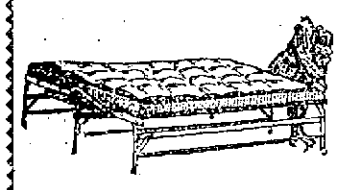


When closed it makes a soft and durable couch.



This cut shows the couch being transformed into a bed, giving a view of the National spring with which each bed is furnished.



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BOYS' TROUSERS for - - - 29c

BOYS' TROUSERS for - - - 10c

BOYS' SHIRTS for - - - 19c

This is the way it is. Our new manager of the Boys' Department is cleaning house. It is expensive work for us—but great for the mothers who have boys to clothe. We advertise exactly the quantities we have on hand—if they're gone in an hour (as happened with those hundreds of suits last week) don't blame us.

Start Early

241 PAIRS OF BOYS' SHORT TROUSERS

A good many in sizes to fit boys 3, 4, 5 and 6 years but a lot also up to 16. Most of them straight trousers, but say fifty pairs of knickers. Selling for 50c, 75c and $1.00, all Thursday ..... 29c a pair

110 Pairs Boys' Wash Trousers

Linen, striped galatea and white duck. Selling for 25c and 35c. Thursday ..... 10c a pair

107 Boys' Neglige Shirts

Most all 13, 13½ and 14 neck band—fancy patterns and white oxfords—regular price 45c—to sell Thursday for ..... 19c each

A Wonderful Blue Serge Suit for $3.00

Strictly all wool, warranted fast colors, cut on the newest model, made with double stitched taped seams, finely tailored and perfect fitting. These suits are not to be matched for $4.00 anywhere—our special price $3.00

Finer Blue Serge Suits, $3.50, $5.00 up to $10

Excellent Suits for $5.00

For boys 8 years to 17. New touches to the jackets in the way of cuffs and pocket flaps. Trousers full knickerbocker. Neat cheviots and fancy worsteds in grays, olives and slate colors and fine blue serges. A broad and very attractive showing and every suit new, for $5.00

Handsome Suits

For boys 8 years to 17. Made by Rogers-Peet and other high class manufacturers in New York city. Every suit strictly all wool and sewed with silk. New spring colors in cheviots, fine fancy worsteds and serges ..... $6 to $12

Wash Suits

For boys 3 years to 10, in Russian and Sailors. The prettiest collection of Russian wash suits that we have ever opened. Made with the new military collar or with Sailor collars—from Galateas, Chambrays, Linens, Khaki, and of white duck serge or pique—from ..... $1.00 to $3.50

We Fit the Boy from Hat to Shoes

Neglige Shirts in new patterns of madras and percale and white madras ..... 50c and $1.00

Blouses for Boys 8 years to 14. Entirely new collection of spring patterns—madras in white and colored designs. 25c, 50c and $1.00

Underwear—fine Jersey and balbriggan, short or long sleeve and knee drawers 25c, 50c

Union Suits ..... 50c and $1.00

Boys' "Bull Dog" Caps—the newest and most popular caps of the season. Brand new patterns 25c, 50c

Children's Pretty Summer Hats, white and colors, in square and round crown cloth hats, 25c and 50c

Imported English Straw Hats for children—great novelties, $1.00 to $3.00

Best Selection of Boys' Shoes Shown in Lowell

We are specialists in boys' shoes. Have our shoes made on lasts to fit the boys' growing foot. Smart styles in low shoes, tan or black, and Educator lasts ..... $1.25 to $2.50

THE GROOM'S SON

Officiated as His Best Man

The marriage of Mr. Emery Cognac, manager of Marin's furniture store, to Miss Camilla Guimond, took place in the chapel of St. Joseph's rectory yesterday and had an unusual feature in the fact that the best man, Mr. Wilfred Cognac, aged 18 years, is a son of the groom by his first marriage, while the bridemaid, Miss Georgiana Guimond, a cousin of the bride, was a sister of Mr. Cognac's first wife. A nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Ouellette, O. M. I. About a score of friends and relatives of the couple were present at the ceremony. The bride looked charming in an empire gown of white silk and lace, and carried roses. The bridemaid wore pale blue silk and carried sweet peas.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. Charles Guimond, 4 Butterfield street. Later in the forenoon Mr. and Mrs. Cognac left on a three weeks' tour to Montreal, Quebec and St. John. They will make their home in Lowell. They received many beautiful gifts, as both count a great many friends.

SUIT FOR $50,000

By J. J. Gray Against Connors Co.

John J. Gray, the well known Central street broker has brought suit against the Connors Construction company of this city for alleged breach of contract in the sum of $50,000, the attachment having been recorded at the court house this morning.

SENATOR ALDRICH OF RHODE ISLAND, LEADER OF FIGHT FOR HIGH TARIFF

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Senator Nelson W. Aldrich has surprised his colleagues by the wide range of his information on tariff schedules. Although the Rhode Island senator has long been famous for his intimate knowledge of national finances, his fellow members of the upper branch of congress had no idea that he was so thoroughly posted on the intricacies of tariff schedules. The tariff bill which bears the name of Representative Payne of New York and naturally has been labeled the Payne bill will go down in history as the Aldrich bill by reason of the fight that the senator has made for the restoration of schedules that the orginal measure sought to reduce. Senator Aldrich has met nearly every attack of the tariff reformers with exhaustive statistics to uphold his protection views. Even the maximum and minimum scale, which is baffling to the ordinary mortal, is readily elucidated by Senator Aldrich. His debate has been marked by the rarest skill, and his diplomacy has enabled him to restore many of the schedules that even a majority of his party leaders opposed.

An Itching Palm

No Cure For It. Other Forms of Itching Preferable

There is no cure for an itching palm—the money kind. Even poslam, the new skin discovery, cannot help it. But when it comes to eczema, the most annoying of itching skin troubles, poslam will stop the itching at once and cure the worst cases in a few days. So with hives, rash, scabies, split toes, piles, and scaly scalp, all of which are different forms of eczema, accompanied by severe itching and caused by imperfect digestion and careless diet.

Poslam comes in two-dollar jars, but fifty cents' worth will answer in curing any of the diseases mentioned. It can be had of any druggist. Falls & Burkinshaw, and Carter & Sherburne make a specialty of it.

That results are immediate will be amply demonstrated overnight by the use of the experimental sample which the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City, will send free by mail, in plain wrapper, to any one who will write for it.

GOT GOOD RATE

City Pays Small Price for Coal

BIG CONTRACT AWARDED MR. CAWLEY

Purchasing Agent Calls For Bids On Surface Stones and Paving Blocks—Smooth Paving Work to Begin June 1.

The contract for 2725 tons of hard coal for the lands and buildings department has been awarded Edward Cawley.

Lowell will pay less for coal this year than ever before in her history. Lowell made a much better rate this year than did Middlesex county. The bids for coal for this city and for the coal that will be used in county institutions in this vicinity closed the same day and Lowell bought cheaper than the county.

Purchasing Agent Mackenzie has just called for bids on surface stone and paving blocks for the streets that are to be paved including Middlesex street from Garnet street to the depot, Merrimack square and a portion of Bridge street.

Newell F. Putnam, superintendent of streets, said today that he expected to start the paving job in Middlesex street as early as the first of June. Mr. Putnam says that he will begin operations at Garnet street and work towards the depot. It would be impossible, he said, to tell when the Merrimack and Bridge street jobs will be reached.

MONEY TO LOAN

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MANY MEETINGS

Committees Were Busy at City Hall

The committee on ordinances and legislation met last night. Among petitions considered was one that asked for the transfer of the care of all school yards and playgrounds in the city from the lands and buildings department to the park department.

Ald. Stevens stated that the park commissioners were destrous of accepting the care only of the Moody, Lincoln, Greenhalge, Riverside and Highland school grounds, and it was voted to recommend the ordinance with the amendment as suggested by the commission attached.

An ordinance asking for the establishment of a municipal free employment bureau was tabled on motion of Councilman Boudreau. The ordinance came from Mayor Brown.

An ordinance establishing the office of deputy of weights and measures, to be appointed by the mayor and aldermen was recommended. An ordinance asking for a regular tax of 10 cents each on all loads weighed, instead of having the price controlled by the weight, was recommended, as was also an ordinance asking that the street sales of papers be regulated by licensing the sellers, with the amendment attached that the return of 25 cents be made for the badge and license when it is turned over to the city.

Lands and Buildings

At a meeting of the committee on lands and buildings held last evening it was voted to recommend a loan of $4900, introduced by Councilman Spencer, for repairs and additions at the High school annex, Moody street, Green, Bartlett, Varnum, Cheever street and Lakeview avenue schools. The amount would also include the purchase of a small plot of land from the Lowell Baptist union to be added to the new fire house location.

Committee on Wires

The committee on wires met last night and voted leave to withdraw on petitions for pole locations in Walte, School, Ralph, Leverett streets and the Coburn school lot. Pole locations in Ware street were granted as were relocations in Westford, Chelmsford and Pine streets.

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NOONEN'S HAIR STAIN, brown, light brown, 25c at Dows, Opera House Pharmacy. Wm. Noonan's.

A LARGE LOT of those world-wide renowned Crown pianos, in fancy walnut, mahogany and dark oak, all of the latest designs has just been received by W. F. Trumbell, 101 Westford st. All are invited to inspect them.

EXCELLENT PASTURAGE of 65 acres for horses and colts, with abundant supply of water and shelter, with daily attendance. On line of Nashua & Lowell Electric Railway, eight miles from Lowell. Tel. 553-12. Season terms, $15. Apply to S. A. Creeley, R. F. D. No. 3, Nashua, N. H.

QUINCY HOUSE, 53 Lee st. Boarders and roomers wanted. Three good square meals for 36c per day. Come and try us. Breakfast, 10c; dinner, 16c; supper, 10c.

CARPENTERS, MASONS and BUILDERS. I am forming a class to give practical lectures on reinforced concrete and cement, something you must have to be up-to-date. Address C. M., Sun Office.

ATTENTION BOYS! I have just got in some dandy cart wheels, so get busy and make yourself a cart and get the wheels at 171 Middlesex st. First six boys get two wheels for 20 cents, after that 20 cents apiece.

CROSS AWNING & SIGN CO., manufacturers of Swing Bed Hammocks, $3 complete. Tents for sale and to rent. 215 Dutton st. Tel. 1313-2.

ROGERS' INDIAN BLOOD REMEDY—The worst cases of blood diseases have yielded to this remedy. 18 Prescott st. Up one flight.

MATERNITY NURSE, 656 Gorham st.

IF YOU WANT TO SAVE MONEY on harness and carriage trimmings come to Roy's, cor. Market and Palmer sts. Work done by Joseph Hebert.

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS—Razors, scissors and knives sharpened in first class shape, at Harry Gonzales, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

WILL PAPER YOUR ROOM FOR $2

We will paper your room, furnishing the paper and border to match, and hang the same in a first class manner for $2.00. Inside and outside painting, whitewashing, etc. Will cheerfully give an estimate on any work you intend to have done.

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TABLE GIRL of some experience wanted. Apply 226 Fletcher st.

SHANK BURNISHER wanted. Apply Stover & bean, Thorndike st.

NEAT, CAPABLE GIRL of some experience in general housework wanted. One willing to go into the country for the summer. Call at 90 Gates st.

DRESSMAKER WANTED who understands her business. Call at the Bon Ton store, 314-316 Merrimack st.

TOOL MAKERS wanted, only first class men need apply. Heinze Electric Co.

EXPERIENCED WASHER wanted, one that holds license for boiler and engine. Apply Home Wet Wash Laundry, 147 Cambridge st.

EXPERT MAN wanted on rapid nailing machine. Call at the L. H. Spalding Co., Cor. Rock and Willie sts.

EXPERIENCED BEADERS on shoes wanted. No others need apply. Steady work and good pay. Call between 10 and 11 a. m. Apply Mrs. Agnes Mahoney, 67 Kirk st.

ATTENTION—The state needs surveyors, rodmen and transit men. We have the up-to-date information on how to pass the examination, get in line and write today for particulars. P. O. Box 3528, Boston, Mass.

ATTENTION—Uncle Sam needs custom house, railway mail, post office and internal revenue clerks. Salaries from $800 to $1800. Write for free particulars of our course of preparation at the very lowest terms, examinations to be held soon. Address P. O. Box 484, Lowell, Mass.

YOUNG MEN WANTED to learn automobile business by mail and prepare for positions as chauffeurs and repair men. We make you expert in ten weeks; assist you to secure position. Pay big; work pleasant; demand for men great; reasonable; write for particulars and sample lesson. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y.

GIRL WANTED to do general housework. 25 Ware st.

FIRST or SECOND CLASS FIREMAN wanted. Apply 20 Saunders st.

MAIL CARRIERS, postoffice clerks, railway mail clerks wanted. Salary $600 to $1600. Short hours. Annual vacation. No "layoffs." Examination in Lowell soon. 3000 appointments coming. Common education sufficient. Candidates prepared free. Write immediately for schedule. Franklin Institute, Dept. 98 B., Rochester, N. Y.

AN EXPERIENCED SHOE CLERK wanted, one who can command some business and furnish bond. Address K., Sun Office.

I MADE $50,000 in five years in the mail order business; began with $5; anyone can start a mail order business at home. Send for free booklet. Tells how. Heacock 806, Lockport, N. Y.

ALL ROUND FIRST CLASS PAINTERS, letterer and striper wanted. No others need apply. Apply 493 Chelmsford st.

100 GOOD CARPENTERS WANTED

Permanent employment to skilled mechanics. Apply 98 Weybosset st., Providence, R. I.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

HOUSE OF 9 ROOMS and pantry, one acre of land, for sale. Address Box 358, Chelmsford Centre.

AN INVESTMENT PROPERTY paying a big percentage on Arch st. for sale. Excellent corner lot and always rented. It will pay you to investigate this property. The price will be right. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

17 ROOM HOUSE near Dodge st. for sale. 3500 feet of land. A good property in a good location. Rents for $350 a year. Will sell for $4100. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

8 ROOM HOUSE with bath and furnace heat, near the court house, for sale. Could be made into investment property if desired. Will sell for $4500. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

10 ROOM HOUSE in Belvidere for sale. Bath and steam heat. Fireplace, set tubs, laundry. Excellent location. A substantially built residence. $5600. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FOR SALE

Near School and Varney sts., good 8-room house and land. Price $2200

On car line, good 8-room house, one acre of land, lot of fruit. Price..$1250

In Dracut Centre, good two-story house, large barn, 1 acre land, lot of fruit. Price $1900

Near School st., 6-room house, and land in good repair. Price $900

In Chelmsford Centre, near cars, nice 7-room house, large lot of land. Price $1150

In Billerica, near electric cars, 6 acres land, good camp, 16x16. This is a nice place. Price $400

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Telephone 2163 44 Central st.

WANTED

CLEANING, WASHING and SCRUBBING wanted by a reliable woman. Best work done. Apply 232 Adams st.

CHILDREN WANTED to board in the country. Terms reasonable. Apply A. Nelson, Billerica Centre.

SMALL STORE wanted in a good business locality. Address C., Sun Office.

SEMI-INVALID wanted to board in private American family of adults. Good home. Best of care. Terms moderate. Address R. E. W., Sun Office.

SECOND HAND UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITER, in good repair wanted. Address, stating price, X. Y. Z., Sun Office.

BOARDERS and ROOMERS wanted at the Columbia, 170 Middlesex st.

TWO SMALL CHILDREN wanted to care for by the week. Address Mrs. Williams, R. F. D., No 2, Lowell, Mass.

MISCELLANEOUS

DRINK GLORIA for health; sold everywhere.

LIMBURG, chimney expert. Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence, 1125 Bridge st. Tel. 345.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless. 25c only, at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 408 Middlesex st.

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED, badges and door plates made to order at Harry Gonzales, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

LOST AND FOUND

BLACK FOX TERRIER DOG lost. Name C. A. Wilson on collar. Finder please return to 1 Hampshire st.

SMALL SUM OF MONEY found in Fox savings. Owner can have by calling at 7 Merrimack st., room 4.

BRINDLE BULL DOG, two years old, was stolen from West st. Sunday eve. Return to 24 West st. and receive reward.

LOST—Purse containing pocketbook and bank of Ireland between Arch and Bridge sts., or in vicinity of waiting room. Return to 81 French st.

GOLD PIN lost Sunday afternoon between Davis sq. and Mathews' hall, Dutton st. Reward for return to room 51, 287 Central st.

SMALL BLACK AND WHITE DOG found. Owner can have by calling at 53 Whipple st. and paying for this adv.

SOLID GOLD WATCH and chain: Elgin movement, lost in the vicinity of Chelmsford and Grand sts. Return to L. G., Sun Office.

TO LET

TENEMENT OF 4 ROOMS to let, hot and cold water, bath, set tubs, ash chute. Inquire 14 Carlton st., 1 in rear. Rent $9.

MODERN FLAT of 7 rooms, steam heat, open plumbing, hard wood floors, two piazzas, nice lawn, with or without stable. Inquire at 606 Westford street.

STORE TO LET cor. Broadway and Willie st. Inquire O'Brien's drug store.

STORE and TENEMENT of three rooms, 353 Lakeview ave., cor. West st. Inquire upstairs.

SEVERAL EXCELLENT 4-ROOM TENEMENTS to let, very neatly painted and nice neighbors. Don't fail to see them. Everything quiet and respectable, in Chestnut Sq. Geo. E. Brown, 79 Chestnut st.

UP-TO-DATE TENEMENT to let, with hot and cold water, furnace heat and nice garden, with fruit trees, in Oaklands. Inquire 519 Rogers st.

7 ROOM TENEMENT, bath and pantry to let on Concord st., near Fort Hill. Inquire at 303 Concord st.

HALF OF DOUBLE COTTAGE on Alder st. to let; also cottage on Fifth st. Inquire of John McMenamin, 212 Merrimack st.

5-ROOM TENEMENT to let, pantry, rent, $11.00 at 44 Barclay st. Inquire Philip Schultz Furniture Co., 322 Middlesex st.

TENEMENT TO LET on Varney st. Key at 141 Mt. Vernon st.

TENEMENT OF 3 ROOMS, bath, pantry, hot and cold water, gas, electric light, cement cellar, rent $15. 37 South Whipple st. Wright Whitely, 730 Lawrence st.

8-ROOM TENEMENT to let, all modern improvements, pantry, wash room, bath and hot water. 25 Ware st., or Tel. 2121-2.

PHOTOGRAPH STUDIO to let at Lakeview for season of 1909. Inquire W. E. Maloney, Div. Supt., B. & N. St. Ry., Merrimack Sq.

GOOD, CLEAN TENEMENTS of 3, 4, 5 rooms each, to let, in nearly all parts of the city. Low rent. Apply to T. H. Elliott, 61 Central st.

TENEMENT OF 4 ROOMS to let, $1.50 per week. Adults preferred. 22 Elmwood ave., off Bridge st.

TENEMENT OF 4 ROOMS to let, in Belvidere. Rent $5 month. Apply 463 Central st.

FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS, bath and set tubs, to let, 38 Branch st. Inquire of J. Shaw, cor. Branch and Nichols sts., or telephone 1467-2.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let at 207 Appleton st.

FLATS WITH 3 ROOMS, to let, hot and cold water, bath room, electric light, all modern conveniences, 177 Stackpole st., near Alder st. Apply 348 High st.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let. Inquire 219 East Merrimack st.

PHOTOGRAPH STUDIO, together with 4-room tenement and bath room, to let; all in first class condition, at the corner of West Sixth and Ennell sts., with entrances on both streets. Near St. Louis' church. Apply to Frank A. Hamelin, Tailor, cor. Cabot and Merrimack sts.

SUITE OF ROOMS in the Harrington building, to let. Three splendid rooms with large front room on Central st. Inquire at The Sun Office.

FURNISHED or UNFURNISHED rooms to let for light housekeeping. Steam heat, electric light. 75 East Merrimack st.

NICE TENEMENT of five rooms to let at 68 Chambers st. Apply at premises between 12 m. and 1 p. m.

TO LET

Suite of rooms in The Harrington building, 52 Central street, especially adapted for dress-making.

Three large rooms fronting on Central street. Inquire at The Sun office.

FOR SALE

GOOD, SECOND HAND CONCORD WAGON for sale. Inquire at Mackenzie's Carriage Shop, 502 Broadway.

NOW IS THE TIME to order your flowers for Memorial day. Wigginville green houses, upper Lawrence st. J. Harding & Son. Tel. 2193-1.

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GOATS FOR SALE, two milch and seven bucks. Apply 6 Mt. Pleasant st.

CANARY BIRDS and CAGES for sale at reasonable prices at 201 Smith st.

A RARE CHANCE—An upright piano but slightly used, to be sold at a greatly reduced figure, 101 Westford st.

SMALL GROCERY STORE for sale. Busily located, doing good, safe all 'round business, reason for selling party leaving city. Inquire at Sun Office.

PARLOR SET, Brussels carpet and ice chest for sale, $15. Sacrifice. Rear 32 Franklin st.

DAHLIAS FOR SALE by the single root, barrel, horse or car load. Cannas, pansies and seed plants also first class name varieties. G. F. Cutler, North Chelmsford.

READING MATTER FOR CAMPERS—Novels, Magazines and books for sale cheap at Merritt's Book Store, 277 Middlesex st.

MEAT and PROVISION STORE for sale, in grand location, doing good business. The best of reasons for wanting to sell. Inquire at Sun Office.

FOLDING BED for sale, suitable for parlor. Price $20. O., Sun Office.

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GUILTY OF LARCENY

Man Was Ordered to Pay a Fine of $20

Floyd K. Myers, who also travels under the name of Martin J. Patterson and claims to be a real estate promoter, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Inspector John Walsh on a complaint charging him with the larceny of an overcoat and waistcoat valued at $15, the property of Frank Tryon, a former member of the Donna Seymour Stock company, which held the boards at Hathaway's theatre in this city for a couple of weeks.

In court this morning Myers entered a plea of guilty and was fined $20, to be paid within three days or be sentenced to jail for three months.

Myers and Tryon occupied different rooms in the Merrimac house and on Monday Myers took the clothing and sold it to a second hand clothing dealer in Middlesex street.

When Tryon was placed on the stand he said that he did not care about pressing the charge, but Judge Hadley promptly informed the complainant that he was not making the charge, that it was the police who were pressing the matter.

Myers, testifying in his own behalf, said he belonged in New York and was with a real estate company which sold suburban property in Long Island. He said that he had sold several pieces of property to local men. His reason for giving the name of Patterson, he said, was that the newspapers might not get his right name.

Rather Interesting Case

A confederate $5 bill played a rather important part in a case in police court this morning.

The case was that of William Lakos charged with the larceny of $4.90 and a package of cigarets, the property of Demetrios Pantazes. Pantazes, who keeps a shoe shining parlor, testified that on the 20th of December last Lakos entered his place of business, and purchasing a box of cigarets offered him the confederate bill. He did not like the looks of the bill, but took it when Lakos said that it was a new series of money that was being issued by the treasury department. When he tried to work it off on some other person, however, he found that it was worthless.

Lakes denied that he had ever tendered the bill to the complainant. He was asked if he was willing to make restitution and promptly answered in the negative. He was fined $15, to be paid within three days or spend the next two months in jail.

Placed on File

George Twonvek pleaded guilty to assaulting Michael Frok and the case was placed on file. J. Joseph O'Connor appeared for the defendant.

Simple Assault

John Desrosiers pleaded guilty to assault and battery on Arthur Morin. The assault was a trivial one and a fine of $1 was imposed. Desrosiers was represented by Dabiel J. Donohue.

Defendant Dismissed

Costos Coustouveris was charged with unlawfully removing baggage from a boarding-house conducted by George Zouvelos, but the case had not progressed very far when Judge Hadley ordered the defendant discharged, the government having shown no case.

Lectured by Court

Frank D. George, who entered complaint against his brother, Damino George, and failed to put in an appearance yesterday to press the matter, was brought into court this morning and severely lectured by the court. He said that some people told him that if he did not want to appear that the matter would be dropped. The rules of the court were explained to Frank and hereafter when he has any business in connection with the court he will undoubtedly put in an appearance.

Stole a Suit of Clothes

Napoleon Herie pleaded not guilty to a complaint charging him with the larceny of a coat, pants and vest and several other articles of wearing apparel, all the property of Manuel Miron. Edward D. McVey appeared for Herie.

Herie and Miron occupied a room at 62 Worthen street and when the latter went to the room about eleven o'clock Saturday night he found that his suit of clothes, shirts, underwear, suspenders and belt were missing. Herie was also missing.

Maurice Schuman, who keeps a second hand clothing store in Middlesex street, testified that Herie called at his place of business, said he was short of money and wanted to sell the clothes. Witness gave Herie $8.50 for the suit.

No defense was presented.

Herie was found guilty and sentenced to the Massachusetts Reformatory at Concord, appealed and was held under $500 bonds for his appearance before the superior court.

Disturbing the Peace

Henry Charette and George Maynard pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace and each was fined $3.

Heavy Sentence

Susan E. Waldron, a fourth offender who appeared much the worse as a result of the over indulgence in liquor, asked to be given just one more chance. She was sentenced to five months in jail and appealed.

Parole Men

Cornelius O'Hearn, a parole man from the state farm, will be returned to that institution.

"Give me a year in jail, but don't send me back to the state farm," said Cornelius Sullivan who is a parole man. He will have to go back to Bridgewater, however.

John Burchard who claims Manchester, N. H. as his home, was fined $6.

Patrick V. McCarthy was sentenced to the state farm.

STREET DEPT.

Supt. Putnam Pushing Street Work

The street department is cleaning up all side issues in order to get in shape for the smooth paving jobs that are staring it in the face. One gang of about 20 men is at work on the Oakland sewer, filling in the big trench that was left open there. This trench had to remain open until more money was voted for sewer construction.

Another gang is at work on the Ayer City sewer. This sewer takes in Plain and Quebec streets and the Boston road, and is about 800 feet long.

Other street department gangs are at work in Woburn street, filling in where the culvert was widened, and in Pawtucket, Sawyer and Crawford streets, where preparations are being made for smooth paving, and a portion of Lawrence street is being repaved.

Agents representing street oiling preparations are paying their respects to Lowell almost every day. The last to arrive was the representative of a preparation known as asphaltoilene, and the fellow who tackled this preparation up and down and sideways is very anxious to send samples of the preparation for a trial. Like the representatives of all other preparations of a like nature, he claims that if properly laid and maintained asphaltoilene secures a dustless, durable road at all seasons of the year and at less cost than water sprinkling.

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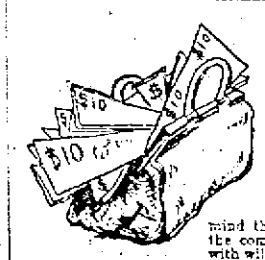

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MAY BE MURDER

Police to Investigate Man's Death

WEST RUTLAND, Vt., May 19.—Many of the elements entering into the complexion of an interesting murder mystery were noted last night in the case of Otto Sandstrom, a quarryman, whose body was found Friday morning lying in a foot of water near the car barn here. Although Dr. C. B. Ross, the town health officer, decided that the case was one of drowning and that an autopsy was not necessary, the state officials will today begin an investigation into the circumstances surrounding the young man's death. State's Attorney J. C. Jones of Rutland and Attorney General John C. Sargent of Ludlow will confer today regarding the advisability of exhuming the body, which has been buried. The interest which the authorities are taking in the case is due largely to the efforts of Miss Esther Anderson of New York, a cousin of the dead man, who came here for the funeral on Sunday, and was not satisfied with the verdict of "death by drowning." Undertaker C. H. Campbell, to whose rooms the body was taken, stated last night that a large swelling was found on the man's stomach, such as might have resulted from a kick or a blow, and could have caused death. He also said that in his opinion Dr. Ross did not extract a sufficient quantity of water from the man's stomach to substantiate the verdict of drowning.

Sandstrom, with his cousin Sanfre Anderson and another quarryman went to Castleton Thursday night. Sandstrom left the other two men and went home alone. He left a trolley car at Whipple Hollow about a mile from where his body was found. The conductor stated yesterday that he was not intoxicated. A boy, returning home that night, heard cries and moans, and in the morning found the body. The man's hat was found more than 100 yards from the pool, yesterday, and the sole and heel of one of his shoes was also found some distance away. These facts, together with other minor details led the investigators to the belief that a struggle occurred. Robbery as a motive is dispelled by the finding of the man's watch and a small sum of money in his pockets.

Sandstrom is survived by four brothers, one of whom, Simon Sandstrom, lives in New York.

SEC'Y. DICKINSON

ARRIVES IN THE MAYFLOWER AT HAVANA

HAVANA, May 19.—The United States converted yacht Mayflower arrived here last evening with the American secretary of war, Jacob M. Dickinson aboard. Edwin V. Morgan, the American minister, James L. Rodgers, the American consul general, and Capt. Ryan immediately went aboard the Mayflower to pay their respects to the secretary.

A SENSATION

IN THE ALLEGED TOWN LOT FRAUD CASES

TULSA, Okla., May 19.—Sensational allegations concerning the official conduct of Sylvester R. Rush, special assistant to the attorney general, and U. S. District Attorney Gregg of the northern district of Oklahoma, were made in two petitions filed in the federal court here yesterday in connection with the Muskogee town lot fraud cases.

One petition is signed by nine members of the grand jury that was discharged on Saturday last by Judge Marshall upon the motion of District Attorney Gregg, who asserted that the jury had been subjected to improper influences. It refutes this charge and in turn makes allegation against Messrs. Gregg and Rush. It alleges misconduct before the jury, efforts to intimidate and coerce the jury to return indictments against Gov. Haskell and the other defendants, regardless of and contrary to proof presented, and petitions the court to investigate the jurors' allegations.

The defendants also filed a response to the motion of District Attorney Gregg disputing the charges of improper influence. This response alleges that Gregg has used the Tulsa World, of which he is stated to be part owner, to mould sentiment, and to prejudice the court and grand jury against the defendants; that he stated that he was after Haskell and associates and that no one else would be prosecuted; that he stated that he was a personal enemy of William T. Hutchings and would send him to the penitentiary at all hazards; that Gregg's partners in the Tulsa World had stated to a prominent Tulsa man that it was a political prosecution started by William R. Hearst and Theodore Roosevelt against Gov. Haskell.

YESTERDAY AT AUCTION

Yesterday afternoon James Warner as commissioner for the estate of Jacob Ames sold, through J. E. Conant & Co., the tenement property numbered 20-22 Fifth street, to Alice Needham, for $2200; it was assessed for $3200. Immediately following this sale the dwelling house property numbered 31 West Fifth street was sold to E. P. McKeon, for $3350; it was assessed for $3450. There was not the slightest lack of interest in either sale. Both properties were sold at the appointed minute. There were more than half a dozen purchasers for each lot, but neither lot was sold until after much active competition.

BIG FRESH AIR CAMP

ATHOL, May 19.—For the benefit of children from the crowded tenement districts of Boston, there will be conducted here during the coming summer the largest fresh air camp in the world. The project is being furthered by the Morgan memorial of Boston.

In connection with the camp there will be conducted a fresh air farm which will be looked to for nearly all the supplies of food to be used at the camp. An isolation camp, with trained nurses in charge, will also be maintained to guard against any outbreak of disease. It is planned to give the campers an opportunity to assist the work by conducting a rug-making industry.

EASTERN LEAGUE MEETING

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 19.—A meeting of Eastern league club owners was held here last night to modify the rule adopted last winter limiting club membership to fifteen after May 15. Some of the clubs found it impossible to comply with the rules. It was finally agreed, after four hours' debate, that each club should be allowed 16 able-bodied men, that is, that bona fide illness or accident to a player or players would be considered sufficient excuse for a corresponding increase in the numerical playing strength with salary limit extension to correspond. President O'Brien of the American association was called on the long distance telephone at Milwaukee and acquiesced in the action taken.

Hair Humbugs

How many readers of this paper have been humbugged with either worthless or dangerous preparations for the hair? How many of you have one more hair now than you had before you used them? There is just one thing needed in treating the hair more than any other thing, and that is *cleanliness*. You don't wash out of your scalp and hair the dandruff, dirt, dust and disease germs as fast as they appear. Scales form on your head, the pores become clogged, and the first thing you know the hair falls out. Sooner or later baldness is bound to result. Plain soap won't do, because plain soap leaves your hair and scalp dry, and that is bad. Use Birt's Head Wash, and your head will *feel* cleaner and *be* cleaner than ever before in your life. Your hair will be silky and lustrous, and you will wonder what's in Birt's Head Wash to make it do so much good. And the best of it is we tell you. Here are the ingredients: Refined Soap, Glycerin, White of Eggs, Cochin Cocoanut Oil and Salicylic Acid. Ask your doctor what he thinks of this formula. Price 50 cents.

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SPRECKELS HEARD

HE TESTIFIED IN CASE AGAINST PRES. CALHOUN

SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Interest in the trial of Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railroads, revived to an extraordinary extent yesterday because of the appearance on the witness stand of Rudolph Spreckels, financial backer of the graft prosecution.

On cross-examination Mr. Spreckels said Ruef had visited his office three times between 1901 and 1906.

"I recollect in particular," he said, "one interview with Ruef that called to my attention the need of an investigation. Ruef came to my office and suggested that I get up a syndicate to bid on municipal bonds about to be issued. He promised that bids would be succeeded by a strike. I was horrified by the suggestion.

"Ruef assured me that the bid of the syndicate would be accepted," said Mr. Spreckels, "and he would guarantee that we would not have to bid above par for the bonds. I asked him how this could be done and he said 'that's a simple matter. You know my connection with the labor union people. When the bids are about to be submitted we will have the biggest strike this town ever saw. I will tie up everything including the street railways. Then I'd like to see any of your capitalistic friends, except those in on the know, submit bids for these bonds.'

"I asked Ruef if he really intended for the sake of making money, to bring on a strike that might result in bloodshed, and he said he was only joking. But his face flushed and he withdrew from my office."

CATHEDRAL STONES CRUMBLING

COLOGNE, May 19.—The stones of Cologne cathedral are crumbling rapidly, and repairs costing millions and requiring years are necessary to save the famous edifice, according to a report by the architect, who was appointed to examine the structure. There is, however, no immediate danger to the structure.

GOT A DIAMOND

FIRST BASEMAN COX REMEMBERED BY REVERE FRIENDS

Chris Cox, first baseman of the Lowell team, was presented with a diamond when he went to bat in Lynn Monday. The stone was the gift of friends in Revere.

GEORGE MEREDITH

GOT FIRST REWARD AND CREDIT FROM AMERICA

LONDON, May 19.—The British public and press are making ample atonement on the death of the foremost English novelist, for any neglect he suffered during his lifetime. Not even the death of Swinburne, called out such universal warm tributes of admiration and affection as that of George Meredith. The death of the novelist is felt as a more intimate personal loss than that of the poet.

The body lies in a simple bedroom of the modest cottage at Boxhill, which had been his home for the past forty years. In the folded arms is a garland of roses, the gift of his two young granddaughters, while on either side of the narrow bed are sprigs of white bean and other favorite flowers, from the garden and the hillside that he loved, placed there by his daughter.

The novelist was conscious practically until the end which he knew was approaching.

According to an interview, his daughter, Mrs. Sturgis, said that so far as she knows her father left no instructions with regard to the disposition of his body, but he had often expressed a wish to be cremated. His end, she said, was quite peaceful and due entirely to his advanced age, but was hastened by a cold which he contracted a few days ago.

With regard to the rumors that Mr. Meredith had been engaged on a work for posthumous publication, Mrs. Sturgis said there was no foundation for the report. She believes that he left no manuscripts of any importance, having given up writing during the last decade. She admits that he felt keenly the long public neglect of his writing. He forgave but never forgot it. He was always glad, however, to remember that it was America that first gave him due reward and credit.

Premier Asquith, Lord Morely, Whitelaw Reid, the American ambassador, and many others have sent messages of condolence. J. M. Barrie came in person to the house to express his sympathy.

According to the present arrangements, the body will be cremated and the ashes buried at Dorking, where his wife's body is interred, on Saturday. Lord Morely, War Secretary Hadlane, J. M. Barrie and many other prominent men will attend the funeral service.

HAS SPINAL MENINGITIS

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 19.—Charles E. Hughes, Jr., son of Governor Hughes of New York, a senior at Brown university, was taken to the Rhode Island hospital late yesterday afternoon suffering from a severe attack of cerebro spinal meningitis. Governor Hughes was notified of the condition of his son as soon as the young man had been removed to the hospital. Over-study is supposed to have brought on the trouble.

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Long Crepe Kimonas in Japanese, pink, lavender and blue colors, at $1.95

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Children's Jumper and Dutch Collar Dresses, made of gingham and chambray, at 95c

Children's Plain and Russian Style Dresses, made of gingham and chambray, at 47c

Children's Dresses, made good cotton print, at 24c

Children's Straw Hats, broad brim, fancy bands, at 19c

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QUILL WON BOUT

Jimmy Clabby Appeared to be Overrated

Huh! Gardner'll lick 'em both in the same ring." Such was the expression of the 100 or more Lowell sports who attended the Jimmie Clabby-Tommy Quill bout at the Armory club in Boston last evening.

But they weren't the only ones stung for the talent caught it hard and the Crockton bunch who had the nerve to take the short end went home with pockets bulging out.

Clabby came here from the west, it is believed, for the purpose of getting on again with Jimmie Gardner, having fought him a 20 round draw at New Orleans. But Jimmie must have been kidding him or laying back for a return match, for Clabby didn't show the class at all. Of course Clabby has an excuse. He says that he couldn't keep on his toes on the mat because it was slippery and it is a fact that he complained about the mat before the bout started, but nevertheless, he is not in a class with Gardner, judging by his work last night and that of Gardner in the two McKinnon bouts. Young Quill showed up well and is a man of great promise. He carried the fight to his much touted adversary about all the way and in the final round left no doubt as to his superiority. Twice he rocked the Milwaukee man in a manner that threatened to put him down and at no time was he in any danger himself. Clabby was perhaps a cleverer boxer than Quill, especially at infighting. But he made the crowd sore on him by holding and stalling throughout. He used a left jab about all the time and seemed to have no right at all. It is said in his behalf that he hurt his right shoulder which interfered with the use of his arm. In the clinches he had an amusing way of getting his right hand under and up to Quill's face, but it did no damage. The fine foot work for which Clabby was noted was not shown and this is accounted for by the excuse that the mat was slippery. It is probable that Quill and Gardner will be matched if Quill will take a chance. Before the bout it was a foregone conclusion that Clabby would win and then meet Gardner. In the semi-final Billy Rolfe got the decision over Young Jack Johnson by a very narrow margin.

Next week the final bout will be one of 12 rounds between Freddie Welch, the English champ and Phil Brock of Cleveland.

DAY NURSERY FESTIVAL

An unusually interesting feature is promised at the Friday night program of the Day Nursery festival to be held in Associate hall this week. Jordan S. Savithes, a prominent member of the Greek colony, has secured the services of several of his countrymen, who will give a national dance in costume. The Greeks of Lowell have been noted for their benevolence in aiding their own people during times of depression, and they desire to do this in order to help a worthy charity like the Day Nursery that is not conducted on either sectarian or nationality lines. They promise a feature that should crowd the hall, for it is only one of several numbers on an excellent program.

But don't wait until Friday before attending the festival. It opens tomorrow night, with 10 attractively decorated tables ready for business, waited upon by the prettiest girls in Lowell, and with a program that will introduce a large number of young people in costume. Here is the program, or enough of it to give you the idea:

Song, "I Wish I Had a Girl;" Scotch hornpipe; "Golden Bells;" Irish melodies and dances; "La Corrella;" sword dance; "In Slumberland;" "In Honey Land;" "Swing Song;" minuet; "Garden of Dreams;" song, "Whisper and I Shall Hear;" moth dance; song, "Meet Me in Rose Time." This program will be under the direction of Miss L. B. Perrin. The price of admission only 25 cents, and the money goes to maintain a worthy charity for another year.

PURITAN CHAPTER, O. E. S.

Mrs. Sarah E. Maxfield of 52 Warwick street was agreeably surprised on Monday night by the members of Puritan chapter, O. E. S. The occasion was the 70th anniversary of her birth and the members of the chapter did everything possible to make it a memorable one.

Mrs. Maxfield was presented a handsome parlor lamp, the presentation speech being made by Mrs. Nettie M. Roberts. She also received many other presents, including many bouquets of flowers. There was singing by Mrs. F. L. Roberts, Mrs. Harriet F. Shirley, Miss Lillie Dunn, and in fact by all who were present. Refreshments were served, and the party broke up at a seasonable hour.

About 20 members of the order attended the convention of the grand chapter of the order which was held last week in Boston. Delegates were present from all parts of the state, and much business was transacted.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

The picture show is the show for warm weather. One gets a program of reasonable length in a cool and comfortable theatre for a low price of admission at the Academy, the biggest picture theatre in Lowell. The shows are on from 2 to 5 and 7 to 10.30, with a continuous show on Saturday. Each program consists of four reels of new moving pictures, changed three times weekly, two illustrated songs and a series of views of the world known as Travellettes. The price of admission is but five cents and that includes a good seat. Reserved seats are five cents extra.

STAR THEATRE

Albert Leroy of Montreal, Canada, has been engaged by the management of the Star theatre to render three of his notable songs in French at the theatre tonight. They are as follows: "O Canada," "Bornjour Mimi" and a laughing song.

Hundreds were entertained by the large number of amateurs last night.

New motion pictures were shown in conjunction with the two new vaudeville acts presented by Miss Nina Lester, acrobatic maid, and John A. Philbrick, blackface comedian.

Two new vaudeville acts will be seen Thursday, Friday and Saturday. There is, too, the big regular show of talking pictures, motion pictures, illustrated songs and renditions by the singing orchestra.

THEATRE VOYONS

Any musical feature heretofore given in a motion picture theatre has been surpassed the past week at the Theatre Voyons by the introduction of quartets, duets and solos by the very best local talent and that talent better than any that can be secured out of town. The orchestra has been increased by the addition of a cello and the sweet music of that instrument is very effective in the accompaniments. The musical features are not all that pack the house, performance after performance, but the pictures are so good that they too draw many patrons.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

GIFT TO NURSE

Haverhill Man Leaves Her $50,000

HAVERHILL, May 19.—A sensation is expected to follow the filing today of the will of Benjamin P. Hale, disposing of a fortune of nearly $500,000.

The sum of $50,000 is given outright to Mrs. Maude E. Short, a handsome matron, who served for four years as Mr. Hale's housekeeper and nurse. At about the time that Mrs. Short took charge of the Hale home Mrs. Hale was sent to an insane asylum in Providence, R. I., where she is still confined.

Arthur D. Veazey, the executor, is reported much incensed over the will, which he declares a slight on the widow and children.

The widow gets only the income of $75,000. Two daughters, aged 7 and 17 are to inherit the residue of the estate.

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HOLY HOUR SERVICE

The service of the Holy Hour will be held at St. Michael's church tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock. A special musical program will be rendered.

VAGARIES OF A COLD

In winter cold may settle in the bowels. In the summer it may give you colic or summer complaint. But don't fear appendicitis or inflammation of the bowels. At the first pain or cramp take Perry Davis' Painkiller in warm water and relief will come at once. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. A large 35c. size as well as the 50c. size.

The Bon Marché

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THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1909

Our Great Summer and White Opening

ONE OF THE PARISIAN SHOP MODELS

Posed by Miss Follis of The Miss Innocence Co.

This lovely model of White Chip, "The Eugenie" semi-fitted facing of Black velvet, around the crown a hedge of lilies of the valley, in their spiked green leaves and a bow of black velvet ribbon and a wreath of French roses.

This Model is $45.00

200 MODEL HATS

No Two Alike

Purchased last week from famous New York wholesale milliners. The variety of shapes, colors and styles of trimming is almost endless. Some are smart tailored, trimmed with wings, etc. Others are larger dress hats of rough braids, fine Milans, two toned Javas, fine French Chips, trimmed with French roses, fruit, fine flowers and silk ribbons, velvet and velvet ribbons.

Choice of all the $5 Hats Thursday at $2.98
Choice of all the $7.50 and $10 Hats at $4.98

A fortunate purchase of 100 models from Berlandi and the Parisian Shop, 5th Ave., New York. These milliners sailed for Europe last week and closed out several patterns to Mrs. Hartford. We wish to give our customers a bargain festival in Trimmed Hats. These hats for quality are the finest we have ever shown, both in quality and price.

Choice Thursday of $20 Hats at.....$10
Choice Thursday of $45 Hats at.....$25

These hats are beautiful beyond description. Smart street hats and stunning dress hats—hats for every occasion. If you see them you'll surely buy—probably more than one.

REMEMBER, EVERYONE INVITED TO OUR OPENING, THURSDAY, MAY 20th.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.40	6.50	6.50	7.20
a6.17	7.41	7.53	8.55
b6.44	7.50	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.30
7.01	8.30	10.00	10.37
7.23	8.06	10.21	11.34
b7.51	8.59	11.30	12.07
7.44	8.35	12.00	12.55
8.50	9.40	1.00	1.37
b8.27	10.33	2.00	3.02
9.33	10.19	3.00	3.37
10.45	11.43	b3.51	5.02
11.56	12.30	a4.14	5.37
12.13	1.09	5.00	6.33
1.46	2.30	b5.21	6.28
2.41	3.33	5.48	6.28
3.02	4.40	b5.51	7.35
4.28	5.30	a6.1.	7.30
5.20	6.15	7.30	8.08
6.10	7.19	8.30	9.05
6.28	7.16	10.30	11.34
7.52	8.55	11.00	12.16

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	7.55	a7.00	8.10
8.04	8.55	8.25	10.35
9.10	10.20	10.35	11.52
10.50	11.55	11.50	12.55
12.00	1.06	2.15	3.23
3.40	4.14	3.30	4.30
4.23	5.25	4.59	5.55
5.08	6.12	6.02	7.04
7.00	8.00	6.35	7.45
9.35	10.35	9.25	10.31
		*11.25	12.21

*Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
5 Via Salem Jct.
7 Via Wilmington Junction.

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.30	9.24	8.00	9.08
12.30	1.15	12.00	1.05
3.00	3.50	2.15	3.23
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.40
8.00	10.02	6.20	6.34
		6.40	9.42

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

8.40	9.30	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.08	10.00	10.37
5.48	6.49	11.30	12.07
2.20	10.16	1.00	1.37
10.30	11.35	5.00	6.02
2.25	3.27	7.30	8.08
5.15	6.00	8.30	9.08
6.08	7.10	9.00	10.02
7.52	8.35	10.29	11.35

LOCAL NEWS

First-class work, Tobin's Printery.

Quinn, the Electrician. Tel. 1865-2.

Dr. Walker, dentist, Central block.

Order your coal now at Mullin's, 953 Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

David P. Molony of Whipple street has gone to Waterbury, Vt., for the summer.

Teeth extracted without pain by the Obtundine system of painless dentistry. Dr. Gagnon, 466 Merrimack st.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Gregoire have returned from New York where they went to select summer millinery.

Consult the advertisement on the first page for rate of interest paid at the Middlesex Co-operative bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Durgin of 8 Trenton street, Charlestown, both formerly of Lowell, are rejoicing over the arrival of a son.

For reliable shrubs and trees, and skilled workmen to care for your garden, call up McMannon, Florist, 6 Prescott street.

Miss Lottie E. Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard, of 29 Third street, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. H. Dana of New York City.

Mr. John J. Dobson, formerly of this city, now of Los Angeles, Ca., representing "The Freemason," a magazine devoted to masonry is in town visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Cora Cossette, formerly a Lowell girl, and a sister of Mrs. Frank Brogan, Mrs. Emile Provost and Mr. M. J. Cossette of this city, recently took the veil at the convent of the Ursulines at Three Rivers, Que. She will be known as Sister St. Marie Jeanne d'Arc. She is one of four sisters who have entered the convent.

ROOMS TO LET

A suite of three nice rooms in the Harrington Building, 53 Central street, over T. C. Lee & Co.'s insurance offices especially adapted for dress-making parlors or other light business. Rent very reasonable to responsible parties. For particulars inquire at The Sun office.

Nature's Remedies for Disease.

Nature provides more effective remedies in the roots and herbs of the field than were ever produced from drugs.

Thirty years ago, Lydia E. Pinkham of Lynn, Mass., discovered and gave to the women of the world a remedy made from roots and herbs, which has proved more efficacious in curing women's diseases than any other medicine the world has ever known, and today Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is looked upon everywhere as the standard remedy for women's ills.

CURTIN & SPILLANE
Plumbers, Steam and Gas Fitters
Estimates Cheerfully Given
26 ANDOVER ST. Tel. 2429

MAY FESTIVAL
IN AID OF THE
DAY NURSERY
Associate Hall, May 20, 21, 22.

THURSDAY NIGHT—Eighty children will appear in an entrancing program of artistic dances, songs and other specialities.

FRIDAY NIGHT—A fascinating bill of National Dances and High Class Vaudeville.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON—Children's Vaudeville, followed by general dancing.

SATURDAY NIGHT—Drill by High School girls followed by ball conducted by officers of the High school regiment.

THE BAZAAR will offer 10 attractive tables. General dancing each night. Every ticket bought will help a worthy charity greatly in need of funds. Admission 25c, Children 15c.

THEATRE VOYONS
THE GREATEST MUSICAL FEATURES
TEN CENTS—THAT'S ALL

ACADEMY
The Big Picture Show
PICTURES—SONGS—VIEWS
Shows daily, 2 to 5, 7 to 10.30. Continuous show Saturday. Admission 5 cents including a good seat. Reserved seats 5 cents extra.

HEADQUARTERS
FOR FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS. NONE BUT THE BEST OF EVERYTHING IN THE FRUIT AND CONFECTIONERY LINE. OURS ARE ALL CAREFULLY SELECTED AND YOU CAN ALWAYS GET THE FINEST OF EVERYTHING IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS, NUTS, CANDIES AND SODA.
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MERRIMACK SQUARE

LOWELL, WHO HAS MANY SONS EDUCATED UNDER DR. ELIOT, JOINS OLD HARVARD IN WISHING THE FAMOUS EDUCATOR "GOOD BYE AND GOOD LUCK"

PROBATE COURT

TWO SHORT SESSIONS HELD HERE YESTERDAY

At the contested session of the probate court, yesterday, Judge McIntyre presiding, the case of Andrew Livingston for the appointment of a guardian for Mary Sherburne was heard. Petitioner and his granddaughter were heard. John J. Pickman appeared for petitioner. Action was deferred. About six weeks ago Mrs. Sherburne-Murkland, mother of Mary Sherburne, resigned her guardianship, following a hearing.

In the probate court, uncontested session, Judge Lawton sitting, the following wills were presented: John Follis, Hanson W. Allen, Joseph Cossette, Lucy T. Poore and Eliza P. Lynds, all of Lowell. Administration was granted in the wills of Ezra Clark and Michael Looney both of Lowell.

Benhall's Wine of Olives
has more nutriment in it than any other food known. If you are nervous, thin, pale, tired, or suffer from dyspepsia, if your blood is thin, and you are not strong, try Benhall's Wine of Olives. If meat cannot be taken, Benhall's Wine of Olives supplies its place, as it makes both fat and muscle. It aids digestion.
Prepared by BENHALL OLIVE CO., Lowell, Mass. For Sale by Druggists

Senator Lodge and the Tariff

During the tariff discussion of the past week in the United States senate, Senator Hale of Maine charged the tea retailers of this country of extorting and said "that tea which is admitted free in this country is sold here at an advance of 300, 400 and 500 per cent on the wholesale price.

Senator Lodge said "that tea selling at 16c a pound in this country is retailed at 60c a lb."

This is absolutely correct in most cases. Why continue such extravagance when we sell those goods at a fair margin of profit? No stamps, tickets, rockers or humbug.

—TEAS—
25c, 30c and 35c

—COFFEES—
18c, 20c, 22c, 25c

Sanborn Importing Co.
26 Prescott St.—Ground Floor
Formerly 29 Bridge Street
Boston Store, 90 Blackstone St. Open Mon. and Sat. Evenings

James S. Hastings

Has removed from Bridge St. to 156 and 158 Merrimack Street, second floor, lately occupied by Green Bros., separate entrance one door from Palmer St.

Mr. Hastings has had considerable trouble in finding suitable premises, but considers the new place the best in every respect for his line of business. Customers and friends are invited to call and see for themselves.

The goods, the styles, the prices are now ready for inspection. If you cannot find what you want elsewhere call and see our offerings in Draperies, Upholstery Goods, Floor Coverings, etc.

156 AND 158 MERRIMACK ST., 2ND FLOOR. TEL. 2503

VALUABLE PAPER

Read Before Sons of Revolution

About 50 members of Old Middlesex Chapter, Sons of the Revolution met at Page's last evening at dinner. The divine blessing was invoked by Rev. A. C. Ferrin, chaplain.

After dinner the president, Charles H. Conant, called to order and referred to the death of Stephen C. Davis, a member. Reporting for a committee, appointed for the purpose, consisting of himself and Elisha J. Neale, George W. Putnam presented a set of resolutions in reference to Compatriot Davis, which was adopted, also a brief record of his life.

Edward W. Clark and William Henry Worcester were admitted to membership.

Fred A. Pitcher of Chelsea was introduced as the guest of the chapter and after giving the greetings from Old Suffolk chapter, of which he is an officer, spoke of the month of May in the Revolution.

While it was not a month of great battles it was a month of preparation and of causes leading up to the Revolution, and important events therein.

In May, 1769, the British government decided on the tax on tea, King George saying "We must tax one thing to show we have the right." In May, 1775, the siege of Boston began. Putnam arrived at Cambridge. Artemas Ward was appointed general, Howe, Clinton and Burgoyne arrived at Boston with re-enforcements, and other important events. The speaker dwelt particularly on the interesting story of the Battle of Chelsea, which occurred May 27, 1775, which, while it was a small affair of itself was significant for several reasons, such as that it was the first battle of the war where cannon were used, the first capture of a British vessel, the presence of Stark, Warren and Prescott and that the cannon captured were later used at Bunker Hill.

In May, Ticonderoga and Crown Point were captured, the second continental congress met, Rhode Island declared for independence followed by other states.

Compatriot John I. Coggeshall read an ancestral paper referring to his ancestors, John Coggeshall and William Coddington who were the original Rhode Island colonists, and to his revolutionary ancestors Newby Coggeshall and his son, William Coggeshall, exhibiting a finger ring originally worn by Newby Coggeshall that had been handed down in family until now worn by the speaker.

Dr. Moses G. Parker gave an interesting report of the recent congress of the national society held at Baltimore and Annapolis.

The president pleasantly called to the notice of the chapter the number of clergymen present, and in response to his invitation Rev. Dr. Chambre, Rev. Smith Baker, Rev. B. A. Willmott, Rev. Wilson Waters and Rev. R. A. Green spoke informally.

Other speakers were Compatriots G. C. Brock, and James F. Savage.

After a hearty vote of thanks to the speakers the meeting was adjourned.

FOR THE "YOUNG MRS."

Nice, clear flint nursing bottles, 8 and 10 ounce flask shape or 8 ounce round "clean easy" kind, for 5c each, or a dozen. These last two are sold for 10c usually. Strictly pure Sugar of Milk, 25c a pound. Howard, the Druggist, 197 Central St. (Gold Seal Malt, 15c; Johann Hoff's Malt, 25c.)

STAR THEATRE
Merrimack street Opp. City Hall
Today Change of Pictures
Miss Nina Lester, Acrobatic Maid; Fred A. Philbrick, Blackface Comedian
2 to 5. SEATS 5c 7 to 10

O'Donnell Dry Goods Co.
The Store For Quality and Style

A Thursday Sale
OF
FASHIONABLE STRAW HATS
In Millinery Department

The season's most popular shapes and colors in rough straws, including the Mary Garden, Billie Burke, Favora, Virginia, Eugenia, Troubadour and Chantilly in burnt straw, rose, navy, brown, green, gray an dtaupe. Styles sold this season from $1.98 to $3.00.
Your choice Thursday

At 29c Each

These hats will not be shown in our windows but will be displayed on tables in millinery dept. and the price is specially for A THURSDAY SALE.

O'Donnell Dry Goods Co.

LORD CURZON

SAYS WOMAN SUFFRAGE WILL CAUSE EMPIRE'S DOWNFALL

LONDON, May 19.—Addressing the league to oppose woman suffrage, Lord Cromer, president of the league, contended that the cause of woman suffrage was declining. The whole argument against enfranchising women could practically be summed up by saying they were unfitted to vote because they were not men. James Hereford said the female sex was not naturally fitted to be placed on an equality with men.

Lord Curzon said he regarded the woman suffrage movement as the most important subject in contemporary politics. The enfranchisement of women, he added, would endanger the safety of the empire.

"The day 20,000,000 male and female voters are added to the register by the adoption of the system of adult suffrage, you may put up the shutters of the British empire and write 'Ichabod' over the gates of Whitehall," he said.

Special Notice

There will be a meeting of the Stone Masons' union at 32 Middle st., Friday night, May 21, at 8 o'clock, business of importance. Signed,

PATRICK McGRATH, Pres.

Eagles, Notice

All members of Lowell Aerie, No. 220 F. O. E., are requested to be present at the home of our late brother, Jos. S. King, 76 Washington street, Wednesday evening, May 19th, at 8.30 o'clock, at which time and place the exercises of our order will be held. Per order,

JAMES F. MORRISON, W. Pres.,
JOHN M. HOGAN, Sec.

Cook, Taylor & Co.
Merrimack Street Store

Thursday's Bargains
Bigger and Better Than Ever Before

75 Ladies' Pretty Black and Colored Silk Dresses, lace yoke and sleeves (all shades). Thursday $7.98. These suits are well worth $12.50.

68 Fine Taffeta Silk Jumper Suits, in all colors, extra heavy Taffeta Silk, guaranteed. Thursday $5.98; value $10.

60 Ladies' Fine Gingham, Lawn and Muslin Dresses, very pretty patterns and styles, $1.98 Each; some sold as high as $5.00.

25 Navy Blue Dress Skirts, $2.98 and $3.98, to clean up. Some sold as high as $10.

Heavy Percale Wrappers. Thursday 59c; worth $1.00.
Shirt Waists, 10c; were 50c.

Fine Lawn Waists, prettily embroidered, 39c; were 75c.

25 doz. Extra Fine Quality Lingerie Waists, fine embroidery, made to sell for $1.98. Thursday 98c and $1.19.

50 dozen Ladies' Fine Fast Black and Tan Hose, 7c a Pair; good value at 12½c.

Men's Ballriggan Shirts and Drawers, 19c; value 25c. All sizes.

Ladies' Long Silk Lisle Gloves, Thursday 25c a Pair; regular 75c quality, white and black only.

Raincoats, $2.98; were $7.50.

Raincoats, $3.98; were $8.50.

Ladies' and Misses' Satin Mercerized Lined Panama Coats, black, blue and brown, $3.98; were $6.50.

Ladies' Heavy Satin Lined Panama Coats, $4.98; from $7.50. All sizes in either lot, from 32 to 47.

Children's White Dresses, special prices for the May procession, all sizes, from 98c up.

Ladies' Heavy Cotton Drawers, 15c a Pair.

Ladies' Pretty Corset Covers, 15c; were 25c.

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Merrimack Street Store

C. B. COBURN CO.,
Why! Ladies! this is the place to shop
44c buys the best broom, 24c the best mop.
A $1.10 for a garbage can strong
You couldn't expect one for a song.
Reliance Mop Wringers, one dollar-and-a-half,
Now wouldn't these prices make you laugh?
Iron pails at 19c, will make you stop.
14c for Mop Waste; with a plentiful crop.
$2.55 for our Iron Ash Can,
It can't be broken by a careless man.
A fibre pail for 25 cents.
Oh! trade at Coburn's—it's no expense.
63 MARKET STREET

WALTER E. GUYETTE, Auctioneer
Office, Rooms 77-78 Central Block., Telephone 2415.

SATURDAY, MAY 22, 1909, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M., ABSOLUTE SALE OF A FINELY LOCATED LOT OF LAND CONTAINING 5463 SQ. FEET ON WAITE STREET, NEXT TO CORNER OF POWELL STREET.

On the date set apart, I have had placed in my hands for sale at absolute auction an exceptionally fine building lot, situated within three minutes' walk of the Chelmsford street line of electrics, containing 5463 square feet of land, more or less, with a frontage on Waite street of 78 feet. This lot is high, dry and sightly. If you have in mind the erection of a home or wish a good location to build an investment property that has all the modern improvements, such as city water, gas, sewer, electric lights, etc., be sure to attend this sale, as someone will realize a great bargain.

TERMS: $150 to be deposited with the auctioneer as soon as struck off. Other terms at sale. By order of 15 associates, by

WILLIAM D. BROWN, Treas.

"IT'S GOING SOME"
when you can have an assortment of
14
different kinds of 60c tea to select from
for 38c a pound

Our "CAPITAL" AND Coffee, which is the best in town
Our "JAVA" OR Coffee, the real thing
Our "ARABIAN MOCHA," OR the genuine
Our "MALEBERRY" OR Coffee, the straight
All of which are Regular Thirty-five-cent Coffees

We Sell for 28c a pound

We roast all our Coffee every day, right on the premises, so you are sure of getting it FRESH. No fake about it. We guarantee all our goods as represented.

NICHOLS & CO.
31 John Street
THE FIRM THAT HAS PUT HIGH GRADE TEA AND COFFEE WITHIN THE REACH OF EVERYBODY.

GIRL WILL RECOVER

PROVIDENCE, May 19. — Mabel Arabian, the 16 year old girl who was shot yesterday by Aram Zartanian, who then committed suicide, will recover, according to the physician at the Rhode Island hospital, where the girl is being treated. Miss Arabian received a bullet in the arm.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.